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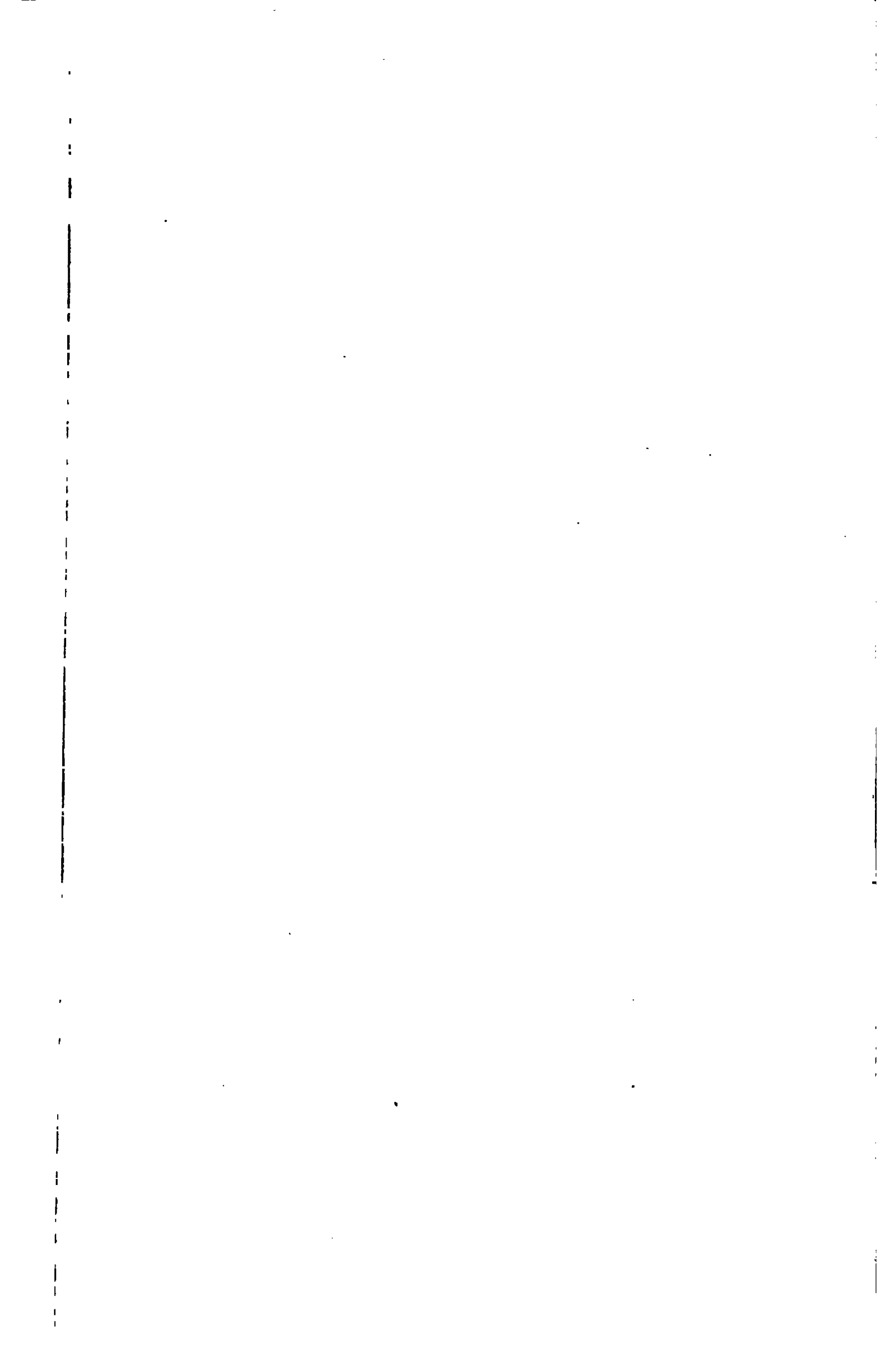
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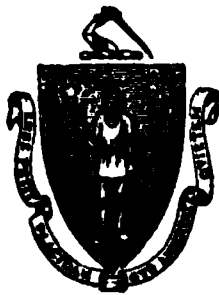
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# CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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**WE** the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquillity, provide for the common defence, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this CONSTITUTION for the United States of America.

**ARTICLE I.**

**SECTION 1.** All legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a congress of the United States, which shall consist of a senate and house of representatives.

**SECT. 2.** The house of representatives shall be composed of members chosen every second year by the people of the several states, and the electors in each state shall have the qualifications requisite for electors of the most numerous branch of the state legislature.

No person shall be a representative who shall not have attained to the age of twenty-five years, and been seven years

a citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that state in which he shall be chosen.

Representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several states which may be included within this Union, according to their respective numbers, which shall be determined by adding to the whole number of free persons, including those bound to service for a term of years, and excluding Indians not taxed, three-fifths of all other persons. The actual enumeration shall be made within three years after the first meeting of the congress of the United States, and within every subsequent term of ten years, in such manner as they shall by law direct. The number of representatives shall not exceed one for every thirty thousand, but each state shall have at least one representative; and until such enumeration shall be made, the state of New Hampshire shall be entitled to choose three, Massachusetts eight, Rhode Island and Providence Plantations one, Connecticut five, New York six, New Jersey four, Pennsylvania eight, Delaware one, Maryland six, Virginia ten, North Carolina five, South Carolina five, and Georgia three.

When vacancies happen in the representation from any state, the executive authority thereof shall issue writs of election to fill such vacancies.

The house of representatives shall choose their speaker and other officers; and shall have the sole power of impeachment.

SECT. 3. The senate of the United States shall be composed of two senators from each state, chosen by the legislature thereof, for six years; and each senator shall have one vote.

Immediately after they shall be assembled in consequence of the first election, they shall be divided as equally as may be into three classes. The seats of the senators of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the second year, of the second class at the expiration of the fourth year, and of the third class at the expiration of the sixth year, so that one-third may be chosen every second year; and if vacancies happen by resignation, or otherwise, during the recess of the legislature of any state, the executive thereof may make temporary appointments until the next meeting of the legislature, which shall then fill such vacancies.

No person shall be a senator who shall not have attained to the age of thirty years, and been nine years a citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that state for which he shall be chosen.

The vice-president of the United States shall be president of the senate, but shall have no vote, unless they be equally divided.

The senate shall choose their other officers, and also a president *pro tempore*, in the absence of the vice-president, or when he shall exercise the office of president of the United States.

The senate shall have the sole power to try all impeachments. When sitting for that purpose, they shall be on oath or affirmation. When the president of the United States is tried, the chief justice shall preside: and no person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

Judgment in cases of impeachment shall not extend further than to removal from office, and disqualification to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust or profit under the United States: but the party convicted shall nevertheless be liable and subject to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment, according to law.

SECT. 4. The times, places and manner of holding elections for senators and representatives, shall be prescribed in each state by the legislature thereof; but the congress may at any time by law make or alter such regulations, except as to the places of choosing senators.

The congress shall assemble at least once in every year, and such meeting shall be on the first Monday in December, unless they shall by law appoint a different day.

SECT. 5. Each house shall be the judge of the elections, returns and qualifications of its own members, and a majority of each shall constitute a quorum to do business; but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and may be authorized to compel the attendance of absent members, in such manner, and under such penalties as each house may provide.

Each house may determine the rules of its proceedings, punish its members for disorderly behavior, and, with the concurrence of two-thirds, expel a member.

Each house shall keep a journal of its proceedings, and from time to time publish the same, excepting such parts as may in their judgment require secrecy; and the yeas and nays of the members of either house on any question shall, at the desire of one-fifth of those present, be entered on the journal.

Neither house, during the session of congress, shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn for more than three days, nor to any other place than that in which the two houses shall be sitting.

SECT. 6. The senators and representatives shall receive a compensation for their services, to be ascertained by law, and paid out of the treasury of the United States. They shall in all cases, except treason, felony and breach of the peace, be privileged from arrest during their attendance at the session of their respective houses, and in going to and returning from the same; and for any speech or debate in either house, they shall not be questioned in any other place.

No senator or representative shall, during the time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil office under the authority of the United States, which shall have been created, or the emoluments whereof shall have been increased during such time; and no person holding any office under the United States, shall be a member of either house during his continuance in office.

SECT. 7. All bills for raising revenue shall originate in the house of representatives; but the senate may propose or concur with amendments as on other bills.

Every bill which shall have passed the house of representatives and the senate, shall, before it become a law, be presented to the president of the United States; if he approve he shall sign it, but if not he shall return it, with his objections, to that house in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large on their journal, and proceed to reconsider it. If after such reconsideration two-thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by two-thirds of that house, it

shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the persons voting for and against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the president within ten days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law, in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the congress by their adjournment prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law.

Every order, resolution, or vote to which the concurrence of the senate and house of representatives may be necessary (except on a question of adjournment) shall be presented to the president of the United States; and before the same shall take effect, shall be approved by him, or being disapproved by him, shall be repassed by two-thirds of the senate and house of representatives, according to the rules and limitations prescribed in the case of a bill.

SECT. 8. The congress shall have power — to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defence and general welfare of the United States; but all duties, imposts and excises shall be uniform throughout the United States; — to borrow money on the credit of the United States; — to regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several states, and with the Indian tribes; — to establish a uniform rule of naturalization, and uniform laws on the subject of bankruptcies throughout the United States; — to coin money, regulate the value thereof, and of foreign coin, and fix the standard of weights and measures; — to provide for the punishment of counterfeiting the securities and current coin of the United States; — to establish post offices and post roads; — to promote the progress of science and useful arts, by securing for limited times to authors and inventors the exclusive right to their respective writings and discoveries; — to constitute tribunals inferior to the supreme court; — to define and punish piracies and felonies committed on the high seas, and offences against the law of nations; — to declare war, grant letters of marque and reprisal, and make rules concerning captures on land and water; — to raise and support armies, but no appro-

priation of money to that use shall be for a longer term than two years: — to provide and maintain a navy: — to make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces; — to provide for calling forth the militia to execute the laws of the Union, suppress insurrections, and repel invasions: — to provide for organizing, arming, and disciplining the militia, and for governing such part of them as may be employed in the service of the United States, reserving to the states respectively, the appointment of the officers, and the authority of training the militia according to the discipline prescribed by congress: — to exercise exclusive legislation in all cases whatsoever, over such district (not exceeding ten miles square) as may, by cession of particular states, and the acceptance of congress, become the seat of the government of the United States, and to exercise like authority over all places purchased by the consent of the legislature of the state in which the same shall be, for the erection of forts, magazines, arsenals, dock yards, and other needful buildings; — and to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers, and all other powers vested by this constitution in the government of the United States, or in any department or officer thereof.

**SECT. 9.** The migration or importation of such persons, as any of the states now existing shall think proper to admit, shall not be prohibited by the congress prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and eight, but a tax or duty may be imposed on such importation, not exceeding ten dollars for each person.

The privilege of the writ of *habeas corpus* shall not be suspended, unless when in cases of rebellion or invasion the public safety may require it.

No bill of attainder or *ex post facto* law shall be passed.

No capitation, or other direct tax, shall be laid, unless in proportion to the census or enumeration hereinbefore directed to be taken.

No tax or duty shall be laid on articles exported from any state.

No preference shall be given by any regulation of commerce or revenue to the ports of one state over those of another; nor shall vessels bound to, or from, one state, be obliged to enter, clear or pay duties in another.

No money shall be drawn from the treasury, but in consequence of appropriations made by law ; and a regular statement and account of the receipts and expenditures of all public money shall be published from time to time.

No title of nobility shall be granted by the United States ; and no person holding any office of profit or trust under them shall, without the consent of the congress, accept of any present, emolument, office or title, of any kind whatever, from any king, prince, or foreign state.

SECT. 10. No state shall enter into any treaty, alliance, or confederation ; grant letters of marque and reprisal ; coin money ; emit bills of credit ; make any thing but gold and silver coin a tender in payment of debts ; pass any bill of attainder, *ex post facto* law, or law impairing the obligation of contracts, or grant any title of nobility. No state shall, without the consent of the congress, lay any imposts or duties on imports or exports, except what may be absolutely necessary for executing its inspection laws : and the net produce of all duties and imposts, laid by any state on imports or exports, shall be for the use of the treasury of the United States ; and all such laws shall be subject to the revision and control of the congress. No state shall, without the consent of congress, lay any duty of tonnage, keep troops, or ships of war in time of peace, enter into any agreement or compact with another state, or with a foreign power, or engage in war, unless actually invaded, or in such imminent danger as will not admit of delay.

## ARTICLE II.

SECTION 1. The executive power shall be vested in a President of the United States of America. He shall hold his office during the term of four years, and, together with the vice-president, chosen for the same term, be elected, as follows : —

Each state shall appoint, in such manner as the legislature thereof may direct, a number of electors, equal to the whole number of senators and representatives to which the state may be entitled in the congress ; but no senator or representative, or person holding an office of trust or profit under the United States, shall be appointed an elector.

[The electors shall meet in their respective states, and vote by ballot for two persons, of whom one at least shall not be an inhabitant of the same state with themselves. And they shall make a list of all the persons voted for, and of the number of votes for each; which list they shall sign and certify, and transmit sealed to the seat of the government of the United States, directed to the president of the senate. The president of the senate shall, in the presence of the senate and house of representatives, open all the certificates, and the votes shall then be counted. The person having the greatest number of votes shall be the president, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed; and if there be more than one who have such majority, and have an equal number of votes, then the house of representatives shall immediately choose by ballot one of them for president; and if no person have a majority, then from the five highest on the list the said house shall in like manner choose the president. But in choosing the president, the votes shall be taken by states, the representation from each state having one vote; a quorum for this purpose shall consist of a member or members from two-thirds of the states, and a majority of all the states shall be necessary to a choice. In every case, after the choice of the president, the person having the greatest number of votes of the electors shall be the vice-president. But if there should remain two or more who have equal votes, the senate shall choose from them by ballot the vice-president.]

The congress may determine the time of choosing the electors, and the day on which they shall give their votes; which day shall be the same throughout the United States.

No person except a natural born citizen, or a citizen of the United States, at the time of the adoption of this constitution, shall be eligible to the office of president; neither shall any person be eligible to that office who shall not have attained to the age of thirty-five years, and been fourteen years a resident within the United States.

In case of the removal of the president from office, or of his death, resignation, or inability to discharge the powers and duties of the said office, the same shall devolve on the vice-president, and the congress may by law provide for the case of



removal, death, resignation, or inability, both of the president and vice-president, declaring what officer shall then act as president, and such officer shall act accordingly, until the disability be removed, or a president shall be elected.

The president shall, at stated times, receive for his services, a compensation, which shall neither be increased nor diminished during the period for which he shall have been elected, and he shall not receive within that period any other emolument from the United States, or any of them.

Before he enter on the execution of his office, he shall take the following oath or affirmation:—

“I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States, and will to the best of my ability, preserve, protect and defend the constitution of the United States.”

SECT. 2. The president shall be commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States, and of the militia of the several states, when called into the actual service of the United States; he may require the opinion, in writing, of the principal officer in each of the executive departments, upon any subject relating to the duties of their respective offices, and he shall have power to grant reprieves and pardons for offences against the United States, except in cases of impeachment.

He shall have power, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, to make treaties, provided two-thirds of the senators present concur; and he shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the senate, shall appoint ambassadors, other public ministers and consuls, judges of the supreme court, and all other officers of the United States, whose appointments are not herein otherwise provided for, and which shall be established by law: but the congress may by law vest the appointment of such inferior officers, as they think proper, in the president alone, in the courts of law, or in the heads of departments.

The president shall have power to fill up all vacancies that may happen during the recess of the senate, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end of their next session.

SECT. 3. He shall from time to time give to the congress information of the state of the Union, and recommend to their consideration such measures as he shall judge necessary and expedient; he may, on extraordinary occasions, convene both houses, or either of them, and in case of disagreement between them, with respect to the time of adjournment, he may adjourn them to such time as he shall think proper; he shall receive ambassadors and other public ministers; he shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed, and shall commission all the officers of the United States.

SECT. 4. The president, vice-president, and all civil officers of the United States, shall be removed from office on impeachment for, and conviction of, treason, bribery, or other high crimes and misdemeanors.

### ARTICLE III.

SECTION 1. The judicial power of the United States shall be vested in one supreme court, and in such inferior courts as the congress may from time to time ordain and establish. The judges, both of the supreme and inferior courts, shall hold their offices during good behavior, and shall, at stated times, receive for their services, a compensation, which shall not be diminished during their continuance in office.

SECT. 2. The judicial power shall extend to all cases, in law and equity, arising under this constitution, the laws of the United States, and treaties made, or which shall be made, under their authority;—to all cases affecting ambassadors, other public ministers, and consuls;—to all cases of admiralty and maritime jurisdiction;—to controversies to which the United States shall be a party;—to controversies between two or more states;—between a state and citizens of another state;—between citizens of different states;—between citizens of the same state claiming lands under grants of different states, and between a state, or the citizens thereof, and foreign states, citizens or subjects.

In all cases affecting ambassadors, other public ministers and consuls, and those in which a state shall be a party, the supreme court shall have original jurisdiction. In all the other cases

before mentioned, the supreme court shall have appellate jurisdiction, both as to law and fact, with such exceptions, and under such regulations as the congress shall make.

The trial of all crimes, except in cases of impeachment, shall be by jury; and such trial shall be held in the state where the said crimes shall have been committed; but when not committed within any state, the trial shall be at such place or places as the congress may by law have directed.

SECT. 3. Treason against the United States, shall consist only in levying war against them, or in adhering to their enemies, giving them aid and comfort. No person shall be convicted of treason unless on the testimony of two witnesses to the same overt act, or on confession in open court.

The congress shall have power to declare the punishment of treason, but no attainder of treason shall work corruption of blood, or forfeiture except during the life of the person attainted.

#### ARTICLE IV.

SECTION 1. Full faith and credit shall be given in each state to the public acts, records, and judicial proceedings of every other state. And the congress may by general laws prescribe the manner in which such acts, records and proceedings shall be proved, and the effect thereof.

SECT. 2. The citizens of each state shall be entitled to all privileges and immunities of citizens in the several states.

A person charged in any state with treason, felony, or other crime, who shall flee from justice, and be found in another state, shall, on demand of the executive authority of the state from which he fled, be delivered up to be removed to the state having jurisdiction of the crime.

No person held to service or labor in one state, under the laws thereof, escaping into another, shall, in consequence of any law or regulation therein, be discharged from such service or labor, but shall be delivered up on claim of the party to whom such service or labor may be due.

SECT. 3. New states may be admitted by the congress into this Union; but no new state shall be formed or erected within

the jurisdiction of any other state; nor any state be formed by the junction of two or more states, or parts of states, without the consent of the legislatures of the states concerned as well as of the congress.

The congress shall have power to dispose of and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States; and nothing in this constitution shall be so construed as to prejudice any claims of the United States, or of any particular state.

SECT. 4. The United States shall guarantee to every state in this Union a republican form of government, and shall protect each of them against invasion, and on application of the legislature, or of the executive (when the legislature cannot be convened) against domestic violence.

#### ARTICLE V.

The congress, whenever two-thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to this constitution, or, on the application of the legislatures of two-thirds of the several states, shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which, in either case, shall be valid to all intents and purposes, as part of this constitution, when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states, or by conventions in three-fourths thereof, as the one or the other mode of ratification may be proposed by congress; provided that no amendment which may be made prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and eight shall in any manner affect the first and fourth clauses in the ninth section of the first article; and that no state, without its consent, shall be deprived of its equal suffrage in the senate.

#### ARTICLE VI.

All debts contracted and engagements entered into, before the adoption of this constitution, shall be as valid against the United States under this constitution, as under the confederation.

This constitution, and the laws of the United States which shall be made in pursuance thereof; and all treaties made, or which shall be made, under the authority of the United States, shall be the supreme law of the land; and the judges in every

state shall be bound thereby, any thing in the constitution or laws of any state to the contrary notwithstanding.

The senators and representatives before mentioned, and the members of the several state legislatures, and all executive and judicial officers, both of the United States and of the several states, shall be bound by oath or affirmation, to support this constitution; but no religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States.

#### ARTICLE VII.

The ratification of the conventions of nine states, shall be sufficient for the establishment of this constitution between the states so ratifying the same.

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### ARTICLES

#### IN ADDITION TO, AND AMENDMENT OF,

*The Constitution of the United States of America, proposed by congress, and ratified by the legislatures of the several states, pursuant to the fifth article of the original constitution.*

ARTICLE I. Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

ART. II. A well regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed.

ART. III. No soldier shall, in time of peace, be quartered in any house, without the consent of the owner, nor in time of war, but in a manner to be prescribed by law.

ART. IV. The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated, and no warrants shall issue,

but upon probable cause, supported by oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized.

ART. V. No person shall be held to answer for a capital, or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a grand jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the militia, when in actual service in time of war or public danger; nor shall any person be subject for the same offence to be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty or property, without due process of law; nor shall private property be taken for public use, without just compensation.

ART. VI. In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury of the state and district wherein the crime shall have been committed, which district shall have been previously ascertained by law, and to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted with the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process for obtaining witnesses in his favor, and to have the assistance of counsel for his defence.

ART. VII. In suits at common law, where the value in controversy shall exceed twenty dollars, the right of trial by jury shall be preserved, and no fact tried by a jury shall be otherwise re-examined in any court of the United States, than according to the rules of the common law.

ART. VIII. Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted.

ART. IX. The enumeration in the constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.

ART. X. The powers not delegated to the United States by the constitution, nor prohibited by it to the states, are reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.

**ART. XI.** The judicial power of the United States shall not be construed to extend to any suit in law or equity, commenced or prosecuted against one of the United States by citizens of another state, or by citizens or subjects of any foreign state.

**ART. XII.** The electors shall meet in their respective states, and vote by ballot for president and vice-president, one of whom, at least, shall not be an inhabitant of the same state with themselves; they shall name in their ballots the person voted for as president, and in distinct ballots the person voted for as vice-president, and they shall make distinct lists of all persons voted for as president, and of all persons voted for as vice-president, and of the number of votes for each, which lists they shall sign and certify, and transmit sealed to the seat of the government of the United States, directed to the president of the senate; — the president of the senate shall, in presence of the senate and house of representatives, open all the certificates and the votes shall then be counted; — the person having the greatest number of votes for president, shall be the president, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed; and if no person have such majority, then from the persons having the highest numbers not exceeding three on the list of those voted for as president, the house of representatives shall choose immediately, by ballot, the president. But in choosing the president, the votes shall be taken by states, the representation from each state having one vote; a quorum for this purpose shall consist of a member or members from two-thirds of the states, and a majority of all the states shall be necessary to a choice. And if the house of representatives shall not choose a president whenever the right of choice shall devolve upon them, before the fourth day of March next following, then the vice-president shall act as president, as in the case of the death or other constitutional disability of the president.

The person having the greatest number of votes as vice-president, shall be the vice-president, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed, and if no person have a majority, then from the two highest numbers on the list, the senate shall choose the vice-president; a quorum for the purpose shall consist of two-thirds of the whole number of

senators, and a majority of the whole number shall be necessary to a choice.

But no person constitutionally ineligible to the office of president shall be eligible to that of vice-president of the United States.

**ART. XIII. SECT. 1.** Neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except as a punishment for crime whereof the party shall have been duly convicted, shall exist within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction.

**SECT. 2.** Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

**ART. XIV. SECT. 1.** All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States and of the state wherein they reside. No state shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any state deprive any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.

**SECT. 2.** Representatives shall be apportioned among the several states according to their respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each state, excluding Indians not taxed. But when the right to vote at any election for the choice of electors for president and vice-president of the United States, representatives in congress, the executive and judicial officers of a state, or the members of the legislature thereof, is denied to any of the male inhabitants of such state, being twenty-one years of age, and citizens of the United States, or in any way abridged, except for participation in rebellion or other crime, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole number of male citizens twenty-one years of age in such state.

**SECT. 3.** No person shall be a senator, or representative in congress, or elector of president and vice-president, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any state, who, having previously taken an oath, as a member of



congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any state legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any state, to support the constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof. But congress may, by a vote of two-thirds of each house, remove such disability.

SECT. 4. The validity of the public debt of the United States, authorized by law, including debts incurred for payment of pensions and bounties for services in suppressing insurrection or rebellion, shall not be questioned.

But neither the United States, nor any state, shall assume or pay any debt or obligation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or any claim for the loss or emancipation of any slave; but all such debts, obligations and claims shall be held illegal and void.

SECT. 5. The congress shall have power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of this article.

ART. XV. SECT. 1. The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States, or by any state, on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude.

SECT. 2. The congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

[NOTE. The constitution was adopted September 17, 1787, by the unanimous consent of the states present in the convention appointed in pursuance of the resolution of the congress of the confederation of February 21, 1787, and was ratified by the conventions of the several states, as follows, viz.: By convention of *Delaware*, December 7, 1787; *Pennsylvania*, December 12, 1787; *New Jersey*, December 18, 1787; *Georgia*, January 2, 1788; *Connecticut*, January 9, 1788; *Massachusetts*, February 6, 1788; *Maryland*, April 28, 1788; *South Carolina*, May 23, 1788; *New Hampshire*, June 21, 1788; *Virginia*, June 26, 1788; *New York*, July 26, 1788; *North Carolina*, November 21, 1789; *Rhode Island*, May 29, 1790.

The first ten of the amendments were proposed at the first session of the first congress of the United States, September 25, 1789, and were finally ratified by the constitutional number of states on December 15, 1791. The eleventh amendment was proposed at the first session of the third congress, March 5, 1794, and was declared in a

message from the President of the United States to both houses of congress, dated January 8, 1798, to have been adopted by the constitutional number of states. The twelfth amendment was proposed at the first session of the eighth congress, December 12, 1803, and was adopted by the constitutional number of states in 1804, according to a public notice thereof by the secretary of state, dated September 25 of the same year.

The thirteenth amendment was proposed to the legislatures of the several states by the thirty-eighth congress on February 1, 1865, and was declared, in a proclamation of the secretary of state, dated December 18, 1865, to have been ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the states.

The fourteenth amendment was proposed to the legislatures of the several states by the thirty-ninth congress, on June 16, 1866.

On July 20, 1868, the secretary of state of the United States issued his certificate, setting out that it appeared by official documents on file in the department of state that said amendment had been ratified by the legislatures of the states of *Connecticut, New Hampshire, Tennessee, New Jersey, Oregon, Vermont, New York, Ohio, Illinois, West Virginia, Kansas, Maine, Nevada, Missouri, Indiana, Minnesota, Rhode Island, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Massachusetts, Nebraska* and *Iowa*, and by newly established bodies avowing themselves to be and acting as the legislatures of the states of *Arkansas, Florida, North Carolina, Louisiana, South Carolina, and Alabama*; that the legislatures of *Ohio* and *New Jersey* had since passed resolutions withdrawing the consent of those states to said amendment; that the whole number of states in the United States was thirty-seven, that the twenty-three states first above named and the six states next above named together, constituted three-fourths of the whole number of states, and certifying that if the resolutions of *Ohio* and *New Jersey*, ratifying said amendment were still in force, notwithstanding their subsequent resolutions, then said amendment had been ratified and so become valid as part of the constitution.

On July 21, 1868, congress passed a resolution reciting that the amendment had been ratified by *Connecticut, Tennessee, New Jersey, Oregon, Vermont, West Virginia, Kansas, Missouri, Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, Minnesota, New York, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Michigan, Nevada, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Nebraska, Maine, Iowa, Arkansas, Florida, North Carolina, Alabama, South Carolina* and *Louisiana*, being three-fourths of the several states of the Union, and declaring said fourteenth article to be a part of the constitution of the United States, and making it the duty of the secretary of state to duly promulgate it as such.

On July 28, 1868, the secretary of state issued his certificate, recit-

ing the above resolution, and stating that official notice had been received at the department of state that action had been taken by the legislatures of the states in relation to said amendment, as follows: "It was ratified in A.D. 1866, by *Connecticut*, June 30; *New Hampshire*, July 7; *Tennessee*, July 19; *Oregon*, September 19; *Vermont*, November 9. In A.D. 1867, by *New York*, January 10; *Illinois*, January 15; *West Virginia*, January 16; *Kansas*, January 18; *Maine*, January 19; *Nevada*, January 22; *Missouri*, January 26; *Indiana*, January 29; *Minnesota*, February 1; *Rhode Island*, February 7; *Wisconsin*, February 13; *Pennsylvania*, February 13; *Michigan*, February 15; *Massachusetts*, March 20; *Nebraska*, June 15. In A.D. 1868, by *Iowa*, April 3; *Arkansas*, April 6; *Florida*, June 9; *Louisiana*, July 9; and *Alabama*, July 13.

"It was first ratified and the ratification subsequently withdrawn by *New Jersey*, ratified September 11, 1866, withdrawn April, 1868; *Ohio*, ratified January 11, 1867, and withdrawn January, 1868.

"It was first rejected and then ratified by *Georgia*, rejected November 13, 1866, ratified July 21, 1868; *North Carolina*, rejected December 4, 1866, ratified July 4, 1868; *South Carolina*, rejected December 20, 1866, and ratified July 9, 1868.

"It was rejected by *Texas*, November 1, 1866; *Virginia*, January 9, 1867; *Kentucky*, January 10, 1867; *Delaware*, February 7, 1867; and *Maryland*, March 23, 1867."

And on said July 28, 1868, and in execution of the act proposing the amendment and of the concurrent resolution of congress above mentioned and in pursuance thereof, the secretary of state directed that said amendment to the constitution be published in the newspapers authorized to promulgate the laws of the United States, and certified that it had been adopted in the manner above specified by the states named in said resolution, and that it "has become valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the constitution of the United States."

Subsequently it was ratified by *Virginia*, October 8, 1869, by *Georgia*, again, February 2, 1870, and by *Texas*, February 18, 1870.

The fifteenth amendment was proposed to the legislatures of the several states by the fortieth congress on February 27, 1869, and was declared, in a proclamation of the secretary of state, dated March 30, 1870, to have been ratified by the constitutional number of states and to have "become valid to all intents and purposes as part of the constitution of the United States."]



# CONSTITUTION OR FORM OF GOVERNMENT

FOR THE

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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The end of the institution, maintenance, and administration of government, is to secure the existence of the body politic, to protect it, and to furnish the individuals who compose it with the power of enjoying in safety and tranquillity their natural rights, and the blessings of life: and whenever these great objects are not obtained the people have a right to alter the government, and to take measures necessary for their safety, prosperity, and happiness.

The body politic is formed by a voluntary association of individuals: it is a social compact, by which the whole people covenants with each citizen, and each citizen with the whole people, that all shall be governed by certain laws for the common good. It is the duty of the people, therefore, in framing a constitution of government, to provide for an equitable mode of making laws, as well as for an impartial interpretation and a faithful execution of them; that every man may, at all times, find his security in them.

We, therefore, the people of Massachusetts, acknowledging, with grateful hearts, the goodness of the great Legislator of the universe, in affording us, in the course of His providence, an opportunity, deliberately and peaceably, without fraud, violence, or surprise, of entering into an original, explicit, and solemn compact with each other; and of forming a new constitution of civil government, for ourselves and posterity; and devoutly imploring His direction in so interesting a design, do agree upon, ordain, and establish, the following *Declaration of Rights, and Frame of Government*, as the CONSTITUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

## **PART THE FIRST.**

### *A Declaration of the Rights of the Inhabitants of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.*

**ARTICLE I.** All men are born free and equal, and have certain natural, essential, and unalienable rights; among which may be reckoned the right of enjoying and defending their lives and liberties; that of acquiring, possessing, and protecting property; in fine, that of seeking and obtaining their safety and happiness.

**ART. II.** It is the right as well as the duty of all men in society, publicly, and at stated seasons, to worship the SUPREME BEING, the great Creator and Preserver of the universe. And no subject shall be hurt, molested, or restrained, in his person, liberty, or estate, for worshipping God in the manner and season most agreeable to the dictates of his own conscience; or for his religious profession of sentiments; provided he doth not disturb the public peace, or obstruct others in their religious worship.

**ART. III.** [As the happiness of a people, and the good order and preservation of civil government, essentially depend upon piety, religion, and morality; and as these cannot be generally diffused through a community but by the institution of the public worship of God, and of public instructions in piety, religion, and morality: Therefore, to promote their happiness, and to secure the good order and preservation of their government, the people of this commonwealth have a right to invest their legislature with power to authorize and require, and the legislature shall, from time to time, authorize and require, the several towns, parishes, precincts, and other bodies politic, or religious societies, to make suitable provision, at their own expense, for the institution of the public worship of God, and

for the support and maintenance of public Protestant teachers of piety, religion, and morality, in all cases where such provision shall not be made voluntarily. [See Amendment, Article XI.]

And the people of this commonwealth have also a right to, and do, invest their legislature with authority to enjoin upon all the subjects an attendance upon the instructions of the public teachers aforesaid, at stated times and seasons, if there be any on whose instructions they can conscientiously and conveniently attend.

Provided, notwithstanding, that the several towns, parishes, precincts, and other bodies politic, or religious societies, shall, at all times, have the exclusive right of electing their public teachers, and of contracting with them for their support and maintenance.

And all moneys paid by the subject to the support of public worship, and of the public teachers aforesaid, shall, if he require it, be uniformly applied to the support of the public teacher or teachers of his own religious sect or denomination, provided there be any on whose instructions he attends; otherwise it may be paid towards the support of the teacher or teachers of the parish or precinct in which the said moneys are raised.

And every denomination of Christians, demeaning themselves peaceably, and as good subjects of the commonwealth, shall be equally under the protection of the law: and no subordination of any one sect or denomination to another shall ever be established by law.]

ART. IV. The people of this commonwealth have the sole and exclusive right of governing themselves, as a free, sovereign, and independent state; and do, and forever hereafter shall, exercise and enjoy every power, jurisdiction, and right, which is not, or may not hereafter be, by them expressly delegated to the United States of America, in Congress assembled.

ART. V. All power residing originally in the people, and being derived from them, the several magistrates and officers of government, vested with authority, whether legislative, executive, or judicial, are their substitutes and agents, and are at all times accountable to them.

ART. VI. No man, nor corporation, or association of men, have any other title to obtain advantages, or particular and exclusive privileges, distinct from those of the community, than what arises from the consideration of services rendered to the public; and this title being in nature neither hereditary, nor transmissible to children, or descendants, or relations by blood, the idea of a man born a magistrate, lawgiver, or judge, is absurd and unnatural.

ART. VII. Government is instituted for the common good; for the protection, safety, prosperity, and happiness of the people; and not for the profit, honor, or private interest of any one man, family, or class of men: Therefore the people alone have an incontestable, unalienable, and indefeasible right to institute government; and to reform, alter, or totally change the same, when their protection, safety, prosperity, and happiness require it.

ART. VIII. In order to prevent those who are vested with authority from becoming oppressors, the people have a right, at such periods and in such manner as they shall establish by their frame of government, to cause their public officers to return to private life; and to fill up vacant places by certain and regular elections and appointments.

ART. IX. All elections ought to be free; and all the inhabitants of this commonwealth, having such qualifications as they shall establish by their frame of government, have an equal right to elect officers, and to be elected, for public employments.

ART. X. Each individual of the society has a right to be protected by it in the enjoyment of his life, liberty, and property, according to standing laws. He is obliged, consequently, to contribute his share to the expense of this protection; to give his personal service, or an equivalent, when necessary: but no part of the property of any individual can, with justice, be taken from him, or applied to public uses, without his own consent, or that of the representative body of the people. In fine, the

people of this commonwealth are not controllable by any other laws than those to which their constitutional representative body have given their consent. And whenever the public exigencies require that the property of any individual should be appropriated to public uses, he shall receive a reasonable compensation therefor.

ART. XI. Every subject of the commonwealth ought to find a certain remedy, by having recourse to the laws, for all injuries or wrongs which he may receive in his person, property, or character. He ought to obtain right and justice freely, and without being obliged to purchase it; completely, and without any denial; promptly, and without delay; conformably to the laws.

ART. XII. No subject shall be held to answer for any crimes or offence, until the same is fully and plainly, substantially and formally, described to him; or be compelled to accuse, or furnish evidence against himself. And every subject shall have a right to produce all proofs that may be favorable to him; to meet the witnesses against him face to face, and to be fully heard in his defence by himself, or his counsel, at his election. And no subject shall be arrested, imprisoned, despoiled, or deprived of his property, immunities, or privileges, put out of the protection of the law, exiled, or deprived of his life, liberty, or estate, but by the judgment of his peers, or the law of the land.

And the legislature shall not make any law that shall subject any person to a capital or infamous punishment, excepting for the government of the army and navy, without trial by jury.

ART. XIII. In criminal prosecutions, the verification of facts in the vicinity where they happen, is one of the greatest securities of the life, liberty, and property of the citizen.

ART. XIV. Every subject has a right to be secure from all unreasonable searches, and seizures, of his person, his houses, his papers, and all his possessions. All warrants, therefore, are contrary to this right, if the cause or foundation of them be not previously supported by oath or affirmation, and if the order in the warrant to a civil officer, to make search in suspected places,



or to arrest one or more suspected persons, or to seize their property, be not accompanied with a special designation of the persons or objects of search, arrest, or seizure: and no warrant ought to be issued but in cases, and with the formalities prescribed by the laws.

ART. XV. In all controversies concerning property, and in all suits between two or more persons, except in cases in which it has heretofore been otherways used and practised, the parties have a right to a trial by jury; and this method of procedure shall be held sacred, unless, in causes arising on the high seas, and such as relate to mariners' wages, the legislature shall hereafter find it necessary to alter it.

ART. XVI. The liberty of the press is essential to the security of freedom in a state: it ought not, therefore, to be restrained in this commonwealth.

ART. XVII. The people have a right to keep and to bear arms for the common defence. And as, in time of peace, armies are dangerous to liberty, they ought not to be maintained without the consent of the legislature; and the military power shall always be held in an exact subordination to the civil authority, and be governed by it.

ART. XVIII. A frequent recurrence to the fundamental principles of the constitution, and a constant adherence to those of piety, justice, moderation, temperance, industry, and frugality, are absolutely necessary to preserve the advantages of liberty, and to maintain a free government. The people ought, consequently, to have a particular attention to all those principles, in the choice of their officers and representatives: and they have a right to require of their lawgivers and magistrates an exact and constant observance of them, in the formation and execution of the laws necessary for the good administration of the commonwealth.

ART. XIX. The people have a right, in an orderly and peaceable manner, to assemble to consult upon the common good; give instructions to their representatives, and to request

of the legislative body, by the way of addresses, petitions, or remonstrances, redress of the wrongs done them, and of the grievances they suffer.

**ART. XX.** The power of suspending the laws, or the execution of the laws, ought never to be exercised but by the legislature, or by authority derived from it, to be exercised in such particular cases only as the legislature shall expressly provide for.

**ART. XXI.** The freedom of deliberation, speech, and debate, in either house of the legislature, is so essential to the rights of the people, that it cannot be the foundation of any accusation or prosecution, action or complaint, in any other court or place whatsoever.

**ART. XXII.** The legislature ought frequently to assemble for the redress of grievances, for correcting, strengthening, and confirming the laws, and for making new laws, as the common good may require.

**ART. XXIII.** No subsidy, charge, tax, impost, or duties ought to be established, fixed, laid, or levied, under any pretext whatsoever, without the consent of the people or their representatives in the legislature.

**ART. XXIV.** Laws made to punish for actions done before the existence of such laws, and which have not been declared crimes by preceding laws, are unjust, oppressive, and inconsistent with the fundamental principles of a free government.

**ART. XXV.** No subject ought, in any case, or in any time, to be declared guilty of treason or felony by the legislature.

**ART. XXVI.** No magistrate or court of law shall demand excessive bail or sureties, impose excessive fines, or inflict cruel or unusual punishments.

**ART. XXVII.** In time of peace, no soldier ought to be quartered in any house without the consent of the owner; and in

time of war, such quarters ought not to be made but by the civil magistrate, in a manner ordained by the legislature.

**ART. XXVIII.** No person can in any case be subject to law-martial, or to any penalties or pains, by virtue of that law, except those employed in the army or navy, and except the militia in actual service, but by authority of the legislature.

**ART. XXIX.** It is essential to the preservation of the rights of every individual, his life, liberty, property, and character, that there be an impartial interpretation of the laws, and administration of justice. It is the right of every citizen to be tried by judges as free, impartial, and independent as the lot of humanity will admit. It is, therefore, not only the best policy, but for the security of the rights of the people, and of every citizen, that the judges of the supreme judicial court should hold their offices as long as they behave themselves well; and that they should have honorable salaries ascertained and established by standing laws.

**ART. XXX.** In the government of this commonwealth, the legislative department shall never exercise the executive and judicial powers, or either of them: the executive shall never exercise the legislative and judicial powers, or either of them: the judicial shall never exercise the legislative and executive powers, or either of them: to the end it may be a government of laws and not of men.

**PART THE SECOND.***The Frame of Government.*

The people, inhabiting the territory formerly called the Province of Massachusetts Bay, do hereby solemnly and mutually agree with each other, to form themselves into a free, sovereign, and independent body politic, or state, by the name of **THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.**

**CHAPTER I.****THE LEGISLATIVE POWER.****SECTION I.***The General Court.*

**ARTICLE I.** The department of legislation shall be formed by two branches, a Senate and House of Representatives; each of which shall have a negative on the other.

The legislative body shall assemble every year [on the last Wednesday in May, and at such other times as they shall judge necessary; and shall dissolve and be dissolved on the day next preceding the said last Wednesday in May;] and shall be styled, **THE GENERAL COURT OF MASSACHUSETTS.** [See Amendments, Article X.]

**ART. II.** No bill or resolve of the senate or house of representatives shall become a law, and have force as such until it shall have been laid before the governor for his revisal; and if he, upon such revision, approve thereof, he shall signify his approbation by signing the same. But if he have any objection to the passing of such bill or resolve, he shall return the same, together with his objections thereto, in writing, to the senate or house of representatives, in whichever the same shall have originated; who shall enter the objections sent down by the governor, at large, on their records, and proceed to reconsider the said bill or resolve. But if after such reconsideration, two-

thirds of the said senate or house of representatives, shall, notwithstanding the said objections, agree to pass the same, it shall, together with the objections, be sent to the other branch of the legislature, where it shall also be reconsidered, and if approved by two-thirds of the members present, shall have the force of a law: but in all such cases, the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays; and the names of the persons voting for, or against, the said bill or resolve, shall be entered upon the public records of the commonwealth.

And in order to prevent unnecessary delays, if any bill or resolve shall not be returned by the governor within five days after it shall have been presented, the same shall have the force of a law. [See Amendments, Article I.]

ART. III. The general court shall forever have full power and authority to erect and constitute judicatories and courts of record, or other courts, to be held in the name of the commonwealth, for the hearing, trying, and determining of all manner of crimes, offences, pleas, processes, complaints, actions, matters, causes, and things, whatsoever, arising or happening within the commonwealth, or between or concerning persons inhabiting, or residing, or brought within the same: whether the same be criminal or civil, or whether the said crimes be capital or not capital, and whether the said pleas be real, personal, or mixed; and for the awarding and making out of execution thereupon. To which courts and judicatories are hereby given and granted full power and authority, from time to time, to administer oaths or affirmations, for the better discovery of truth in any matter in controversy or depending before them.

ART. IV. And further, full power and authority are hereby given and granted to the said general court, from time to time to make, ordain, and establish, all manner of wholesome and reasonable orders, laws, statutes, and ordinances, directions and instructions, either with penalties or without; so as the same be not repugnant or contrary to this constitution, as they shall judge to be for the good and welfare of this commonwealth, and for the government and ordering thereof, and of the subjects of the same, and for the necessary support and defence of

the government thereof; and to name and settle annually, or provide by fixed laws for the naming and settling, all civil officers within the said commonwealth, the election and constitution of whom are not hereafter in this form of government otherwise provided for; and to set forth the several duties, powers, and limits, of the several civil and military officers of this commonwealth, and the forms of such oaths or affirmations as shall be respectively administered unto them for the execution of their several offices and places, so as the same be not repugnant or contrary to this constitution; and to impose and levy proportional and reasonable assessments, rates, and taxes, upon all the inhabitants of, and persons resident, and estates lying, within the said commonwealth; and also to impose and levy reasonable duties and excises upon any produce, goods, wares, merchandise, and commodities, whatsoever, brought into, produced, manufactured, or being within the same; to be issued and disposed of by warrant, under the hand of the governor of this commonwealth for the time being, with the advice and consent of the council, for the public service, in the necessary defence and support of the government of the said commonwealth, and the protection and preservation of the subjects thereof, according to such acts as are or shall be in force within the same.

And while the public charges of government, or any part thereof, shall be assessed on polls and estates, in the manner that has hitherto been practised, in order that such assessments may be made with equality, there shall be a valuation of estates within the commonwealth, taken anew once in every ten years at least, and as much oftener as the general court shall order. [See Amendments, Article II.]

## CHAPTER I.

### SECTION II.

#### *Senate.*

**ARTICLE I.** [There shall be annually elected, by the freeholders and other inhabitants of this commonwealth, qualified as in this constitution is provided, forty persons to be council-

lors and senators for the year ensuing their election; to be chosen by the inhabitants of the districts into which the commonwealth may, from time to time, be divided by the general court for that purpose: and the general court, in assigning the numbers to be elected by the respective districts, shall govern themselves by the proportion of the public taxes paid by the said districts; and timely make known to the inhabitants of the commonwealth the limits of each district, and the number of councillors and senators to be chosen therein; provided, that the number of such districts shall never be less than thirteen; and that no district be so large as to entitle the same to choose more than six senators. [See Amendments, Articles XIII., XVI., XXII.]

And the several counties in this commonwealth shall, until the general court shall determine it necessary to alter the said districts, be districts for the choice of councillors and senators, (except that the counties of Dukes County and Nantucket shall form one district for that purpose) and shall elect the following number for councillors and senators, viz.: — Suffolk, six; Essex, six; Middlesex, five; Hampshire, four; Plymouth, three; Barnstable, one; Bristol, three; York, two; Dukes County and Nantucket, one; Worcester, five; Cumberland, one; Lincoln, one; Berkshire, two.]

ART. II. The senate shall be the first branch of the legislature; and the senators shall be chosen in the following manner, viz.: there shall be a meeting on the [first Monday in April,] annually, forever, of the inhabitants of each town in the several counties of this commonwealth; to be called by the selectmen, and warned in due course of law, at least seven days before the [first Monday in April,] for the purpose of electing persons to be senators and councillors; [and at such meetings every male inhabitant of twenty-one years of age and upwards, having a freehold estate within the commonwealth, of the annual income of three pounds, or any estate of the value of sixty pounds, shall have a right to give in his vote for the senators for the district of which he is an inhabitant.] And to remove all doubts concerning the meaning of the word "inhabitant" in this constitution, every person shall be consid-

ered as an inhabitant, for the purpose of electing and being elected into any office, or place within this state, in that town, district, or plantation where he dwelleth, or hath his home. [See Amendments, Articles II., III., X., XV., XX., XXII., XXIII., XXVI., XXVIII., XXX., XXXI., XXXII.]

The selectmen of the several towns shall preside at such meetings impartially; and shall receive the votes of all the inhabitants of such towns present and qualified to vote for senators, and shall sort and count them in open town meeting, and in presence of the town clerk, who shall make a fair record, in presence of the selectmen, and in open town meeting, of the name of every person voted for, and of the number of votes against his name: and a fair copy of this record shall be attested by the selectmen and the town clerk, and shall be sealed up, directed to the secretary of the commonwealth for the time being, with a superscription, expressing the purport of the contents thereof, and delivered by the town clerk of such towns, to the sheriff of the county in which such town lies, thirty days at least before [the last Wednesday in May] annually; or it shall be delivered into the secretary's office seventeen days at least before the said [last Wednesday in May:] and the sheriff of each county shall deliver all such certificates by him received, into the secretary's office, seventeen days before the said [last Wednesday in May.] [See Amendments, Articles II., X.]

And the inhabitants of plantations unincorporated, qualified as this constitution provides, who are or shall be empowered and required to assess taxes upon themselves toward the support of government, shall have the same privilege of voting for councillors and senators in the plantations where they reside, as town inhabitants have in their respective towns; and the plantation meetings for that purpose shall be held annually [on the same first Monday in April], at such place in the plantations, respectively, as the assessors thereof shall direct; which assessors shall have like authority for notifying the electors, collecting and returning the votes, as the selectmen and town clerks have in their several towns, by this constitution. And all other persons living in places unincorporated (qualified as aforesaid) who shall be assessed to the support of government



by the assessors of an adjacent town, shall have the privilege of giving in their votes for councillors and senators in the town where they shall be assessed, and be notified of the place of meeting by the selectmen of the town where they shall be assessed, for that purpose, accordingly. [See Amendments, Article XV.]

ART. III. And that there may be a due convention of senators on the [last Wednesday in May] annually, the governor with five of the council, for the time being, shall, as soon as may be, examine the returned copies of such records; and fourteen days before the said day he shall issue his summons to such persons as shall appear to be chosen by [a majority of] voters, to attend on that day, and take their seats accordingly: provided, nevertheless, that for the first year the said returned copies shall be examined by the president and five of the council of the former constitution of government; and the said president shall, in like manner, issue his summons to the persons so elected, that they may take their seats as aforesaid. [See Amendments, Articles X., XIV.]

ART. IV. The senate shall be the final judge of the elections, returns and qualifications of their own members, as pointed out in the constitution; and shall, [on the said last Wednesday in May] annually, determine and declare who are elected by each district to be senators [by a majority of votes; and in case there shall not appear to be the full number of senators returned elected by a majority of votes for any district, the deficiency shall be supplied in the following manner, viz.: The members of the house of representatives, and such senators as shall be declared elected, shall take the names of such persons as shall be found to have the highest number of votes in such district, and not elected, amounting to twice the number of senators wanting, if there be so many voted for; and out of these shall elect by ballot a number of senators sufficient to fill up the vacancies in such district; and in this manner all such vacancies shall be filled up in every district of the commonwealth; and in like manner all vacancies in the senate, arising by death, removal out of the state, or otherwise, shall be sup-

plied as soon as may be, after such vacancies shall happen. [See Amendments, Articles X., XIV., XXIV.]

ART. V. Provided, nevertheless, that no person shall be capable of being elected as a senator, [who is not seised in his own right of a freehold, within this commonwealth, of the value of three hundred pounds at least, or possessed of personal estate to the value of six hundred pounds at least, or of both to the amount of the same sum, and] who has not been an inhabitant of this commonwealth for the space of five years immediately preceding his election, and, at the time of his election, he shall be an inhabitant in the district for which he shall be chosen. [See Amendments, Articles XIII., XXII.]

ART. VI. The senate shall have power to adjourn themselves, provided such adjournments do not exceed two days at a time.

ART. VII. The senate shall choose its own president, appoint its own officers, and determine its own rules of proceedings.

ART. VIII. The senate shall be a court with full authority to hear and determine all impeachments made by the house of representatives, against any officer or officers of the commonwealth, for misconduct and mal-administration in their offices. But previous to the trial of every impeachment the members of the senate shall respectively be sworn, truly and impartially to try and determine the charge in question, according to evidence. Their judgment, however, shall not extend further than to removal from office and disqualification to hold or enjoy any place of honor, trust, or profit, under this commonwealth; but the party so convicted shall be, nevertheless, liable to indictment, trial, judgment, and punishment, according to the laws of the land.

ART. IX. [Not less than sixteen members of the senate shall constitute a quorum for doing business.] [See Amendments, Articles XXII., XXXIII.]

CHAPTER I.

SECTION III.

*House of Representatives.*

ARTICLE I. There shall be, in the legislature of this commonwealth, a representation of the people, annually elected, and founded upon the principle of equality.

ART. II. [And in order to provide for a representation of the citizens of this commonwealth, founded upon the principle of equality, every corporate town containing one hundred and fifty ratable polls may elect one representative; every corporate town containing three hundred and seventy-five ratable polls may elect two representatives; every corporate town containing six hundred ratable polls may elect three representatives; and proceeding in that manner, making two hundred and twenty-five ratable polls the mean increasing number for every additional representative. [See Amendments, Articles XII., XIII., XXI.]

Provided, nevertheless, that each town now incorporated, not having one hundred and fifty ratable polls, may elect one representative; but no place shall hereafter be incorporated with the privilege of electing a representative, unless there are within the same one hundred and fifty ratable polls.]

And the house of representatives shall have power from time to time to impose fines upon such towns as shall neglect to choose and return members to the same, agreeably to this constitution.

[The expenses of travelling to the general assembly, and returning home, once in every session, and no more, shall be paid by the government, out of the public treasury, to every member who shall attend as seasonably as he can, in the judgment of the house, and does not depart without leave.] [See Amendments, Article XXXV.]

ART. III. Every member of the house of representatives shall be chosen by written votes; [and, for one year at least next preceding his election, shall have been an inhabitant of, and have been seised in his own right of a freehold of the value

of one hundred pounds within the town he shall be chosen to represent, or any ratable estate to the value of two hundred pounds; and he shall cease to represent the said town immediately on his ceasing to be qualified as aforesaid.] [See Amendments, Articles XIII., XXI.]

ART. IV. [Every male person, being twenty-one years of age, and resident in any particular town in this commonwealth for the space of one year next preceding, having a freehold estate within the said town of the annual income of three pounds, or any estate of the value of sixty pounds, shall have a right to vote in the choice of a representative or representatives for the said town.] [See Amendments, Articles III., XX., XXIII., XXVI., XXVIII., XXX., XXXI., XXXII.]

ART. V. [The members of the house of representatives shall be chosen annually in the month of May, ten days at least before the last Wednesday of that month.] [See Amendments, Articles X., XV.]

ART. VI. The house of representatives shall be the grand inquest of this commonwealth; and all impeachments made by them shall be heard and tried by the senate.

ART. VII. All money bills shall originate in the house of representatives; but the senate may propose or concur with amendments, as on other bills.

ART. VIII. The house of representatives shall have power to adjourn themselves; provided such adjournment shall not exceed two days at a time.

ART. IX. [Not less than sixty members of the house of representatives shall constitute a quorum for doing business.] [See Amendments, Articles XXI., XXXIII.]

ART. X. The house of representatives shall be the judge of the returns, elections, and qualifications of its own members, as pointed out in the constitution; shall choose their own speaker;

appoint their own officers, and settle the rules and orders of proceeding in their own house. They shall have authority to punish by imprisonment every person, not a member, who shall be guilty of disrespect to the house, by any disorderly or contemptuous behavior in its presence; or who, in the town where the general court is sitting, and during the time of its sitting, shall threaten harm to the body or estate of any of its members, for any thing said or done in the house; or who shall assault any of them therefor; or who shall assault, or arrest, any witness, or other person, ordered to attend the house, in his way in going or returning; or who shall rescue any person arrested by the order of the house.

And no member of the house of representatives shall be arrested, or held to bail on mesne process, during his going unto, returning from, or his attending the general assembly.

ART. XI. The senate shall have the same powers in the like cases; and the governor and council shall have the same authority to punish in like cases; provided, that no imprisonment on the warrant or order of the governor, council, senate, or house of representatives, for either of the above described offences, be for a term exceeding thirty days.

And the senate and house of representatives may try and determine all cases where their rights and privileges are concerned, and which, by the constitution, they have authority to try and determine, by committees of their own members, or in such other way as they may respectively think best.

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## CHAPTER II.

### EXECUTIVE POWER.

#### SECTION I.

##### *Governor.*

ARTICLE I. There shall be a supreme executive magistrate, who shall be styled — THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS; and whose title shall be — HIS EXCELLENCY.

**ART. II.** The governor shall be chosen annually; and no person shall be eligible to this office, unless, at the time of his election, he shall have been an inhabitant of this commonwealth for seven years next preceding; [and unless he shall at the same time be seised, in his own right, of a freehold, within the commonwealth, of the value of one thousand pounds;] [and unless he shall declare himself to be of the Christian religion.] [See Amendments, Articles VII., XXXIV.]

**ART. III.** Those persons who shall be qualified to vote for senators and representatives within the several towns of this commonwealth shall, at a meeting to be called for that purpose, on the [first Monday of April] annually, give in their votes for a governor, to the selectmen, who shall preside at such meetings; and the town clerk, in the presence and with the assistance of the selectmen, shall, in open town meeting, sort and count the votes, and form a list of the persons voted for, with the number of votes for each person against his name; and shall make a fair record of the same in the town books, and a public declaration thereof in the said meeting; and shall, in the presence of the inhabitants, seal up copies of the said list, attested by him and the selectmen, and transmit the same to the sheriff of the county, thirty days at least before the [last Wednesday in May]; and the sheriff shall transmit the same to the secretary's office, seventeen days at least before the said [last Wednesday in May]; or the selectmen may cause returns of the same to be made to the office of the secretary of the commonwealth, seventeen days at least before the said day; and the secretary shall lay the same before the senate and the house of representatives on the [last Wednesday in May], to be by them examined; and [in case of an election by a majority of all the votes returned], the choice shall be by them declared and published; [but if no person shall have a majority of votes, the house of representatives shall, by ballot, elect two out of four persons who had the highest number of votes, if so many shall have been voted for; but, if otherwise, out of the number voted for; and make return to the senate of the two persons so elected; on which the senate shall proceed, by ballot, to elect one, who shall be declared governor.] [See Amendments, Articles II., X., XIV., XV.]

**ART. IV.** The governor shall have authority, from time to time, at his discretion, to assemble and call together the councillors of this commonwealth for the time being; and the governor with the said councillors, or five of them at least, shall, and may, from time to time, hold and keep a council, for the ordering and directing the affairs of the commonwealth, agreeably to the constitution and the laws of the land.

**ART. V.** The governor, with advice of council, shall have full power and authority, during the session of the general court, to adjourn or prorogue the same to any time the two houses shall desire; [and to dissolve the same on the day next preceding the last Wednesday in May; and, in the recess of the said court, to prorogue the same from time to time, not exceeding ninety days in any one recess;] and to call it together sooner than the time to which it may be adjourned or prorogued, if the welfare of the commonwealth shall require the same; and in case of any infectious distemper prevailing in the place where the said court is next at any time to convene, or any other cause happening, whereby danger may arise to the health or lives of the members from their attendance, he may direct the session to be held at some other, the most convenient place within the state. [See Amendments, Article X.]

[And the governor shall dissolve the said general court on the day next preceding the last Wednesday in May.] [See Amendments, Article X.]

**ART. VI.** In cases of disagreement between the two houses, with regard to the necessity, expediency, or time of adjournment or prorogation, the governor, with advice of the council, shall have a right to adjourn or prorogue the general court, not exceeding ninety days, as he shall determine the public good shall require.

**ART. VII.** The governor of this commonwealth, for the time being, shall be the commander-in-chief of the army and navy, and of all military forces of the state, by sea and land; and shall have full power, by himself, or by any commander, or other officer or officers, from time to time, to train, instruct, exercise, and govern the militia and navy; and, for the special

defence and safety of the commonwealth, to assemble in martial array, and put in warlike posture, the inhabitants thereof, and to lead and conduct them, and with them to encounter, repel, resist, expel, and pursue, by force of arms, as well by sea as by land, within or without the limits of this commonwealth, and also to kill, slay, and destroy, if necessary, and conquer, by all fitting ways, enterprises, and means whatsoever, all and every such person and persons as shall, at any time hereafter, in a hostile manner, attempt or enterprise the destruction, invasion, detriment, or annoyance of this commonwealth; and to use and exercise, over the army and navy, and over the militia in actual service, the law-martial, in time of war or invasion, and also in time of rebellion, declared by the legislature to exist, as occasion shall necessarily require; and to take and surprise, by all ways and means whatsoever, all and every such person or persons, with their ships, arms, ammunition, and other goods, as shall, in a hostile manner, invade, or attempt the invading, conquering, or annoying this commonwealth; and that the governor be intrusted with all these and other powers, incident to the offices of captain-general and commander-in-chief, and admiral, to be exercised agreeably to the rules and regulations of the constitution, and the laws of the land, and not otherwise.

Provided, that the said governor shall not, at any time hereafter, by virtue of any power by this constitution granted, or hereafter to be granted to him by the legislature, transport any of the inhabitants of this commonwealth, or oblige them to march out of the limits of the same, without their free and voluntary consent, or the consent of the general court; except so far as may be necessary to march or transport them by land or water, for the defence of such part of the state to which they cannot otherwise conveniently have access.

ART. VIII. The power of pardoning offences, except such as persons may be convicted of before the senate by an impeachment of the house, shall be in the governor, by and with the advice of council; but no charter of pardon, granted by the governor, with advice of the council before conviction, shall avail the party pleading the same, notwithstanding any general or particular expressions contained therein, descriptive of the offence or offences intended to be pardoned.



**ART. IX.** All judicial officers, [the attorney-general,] the solicitor-general, [all sheriffs,] coroners, [and registers of probate,] shall be nominated and appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the council; and every such nomination shall be made by the governor, and made at least seven days prior to such appointment. [See Amendments, Articles IV., XVII., XIX.]

**ART. X.** The captains and subalterns of the militia shall be elected by the written votes of the train-band and alarm list of their respective companies, [of twenty-one years of age and upwards;] the field officers of regiments shall be elected by the written votes of the captains and subalterns of their respective regiments; the brigadiers shall be elected, in like manner, by the field officers of their respective brigades; and such officers, so elected, shall be commissioned by the governor, who shall determine their rank. [See Amendments, Article V.]

The legislature shall, by standing laws, direct the time and manner of convening the electors, and of collecting votes, and of certifying to the governor, the officers elected.

The major-generals shall be appointed by the senate and house of representatives, each having a negative upon the other; and be commissioned by the governor. [See Amendments, Article IV.]

And if the electors of brigadiers, field officers, captains or subalterns, shall neglect or refuse to make such elections, after being duly notified, according to the laws for the time being, then the governor, with advice of council, shall appoint suitable persons to fill such offices.

[And no officer, duly commissioned to command in the militia, shall be removed from his office, but by the address of both houses to the governor, or by fair trial in court-martial, pursuant to the laws of the commonwealth for the time being.] [See Amendments, Article IV.]

The commanding officers of regiments shall appoint their adjutants and quartermasters; the brigadiers their brigade-majors; and the major-generals their aids; and the governor shall appoint the adjutant-general.

The governor, with advice of council, shall appoint all officers of the continental army, whom by the confederation of the

United States it is provided that this commonwealth shall appoint, as also all officers of forts and garrisons.

The divisions of the militia into brigades, regiments, and companies, made in pursuance of the militia laws now in force, shall be considered as the proper divisions of the militia of this commonwealth, until the same shall be altered in pursuance of some future law.

ART. XI. No moneys shall be issued out of the treasury of this commonwealth, and disposed of (except such sums as may be appropriated for the redemption of bills of credit or treasurer's notes, or for the payment of interest arising thereon) but by warrant under the hand of the governor for the time being, with the advice and consent of the council, for the necessary defence and support of the commonwealth; and for the protection and preservation of the inhabitants thereof, agreeably to the acts and resolves of the general court.

ART. XII. All public boards, the commissary-general, all superintending officers of public magazines and stores, belonging to this commonwealth, and all commanding officers of forts and garrisons within the same, shall once in every three months, officially, and without requisition, and at other times, when required by the governor, deliver to him an account of all goods, stores, provisions, ammunition, cannon with their appendages, and small arms with their accoutrements, and of all other public property whatever under their care respectively; distinguishing the quantity, number, quality and kind of each, as particularly as may be; together with the condition of such forts and garrisons; and the said commanding officer shall exhibit to the governor, when required by him, true and exact plans of such forts, and of the land and sea or harbor or harbors, adjacent.

And the said boards, and all public officers, shall communicate to the governor, as soon as may be after receiving the same, all letters, despatches, and intelligencies of a public nature, which shall be directed to them respectively.

ART. XIII. As the public good requires that the governor should not be under the undue influence of any of the members

of the general court by a dependence on them for his support, that he should in all cases act with freedom for the benefit of the public, that he should not have his attention necessarily diverted from that object to his private concerns, and that he should maintain the dignity of the commonwealth in the character of its chief magistrate, it is necessary that he should have an honorable stated salary, of a fixed and permanent value, amply sufficient for those purposes, and established by standing laws: and it shall be among the first acts of the general court, after the commencement of this constitution, to establish such salary by law accordingly.

Permanent and honorable salaries shall also be established by law for the justices of the supreme judicial court.

And if it shall be found that any of the salaries aforesaid, so established, are insufficient, they shall, from time to time, be enlarged, as the general court shall judge proper.

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## CHAPTER II.

### SECTION II.

#### *Lieutenant-Governor.*

ARTICLE I. There shall be annually elected a lieutenant-governor of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, whose title shall be — HIS HONOR; and who shall be qualified, in point of [religion,] [property,] and residence in the commonwealth, in the same manner with the governor; and the day and manner of his election, and the qualifications of the electors, shall be the same as are required in the election of a governor. The return of the votes for this officer, and the declaration of his election, shall be in the same manner; [and if no one person shall be found to have a majority of all the votes returned, the vacancy shall be filled by the senate and house of representatives, in the same manner as the governor is to be elected, in case no one person shall have a majority of the votes of the people to be governor.] [See Amendments, Articles VII., XIV., XXXIV.]

ART. II. The governor, and in his absence the lieutenant-governor, shall be president of the council, but shall have no

vote in council; and the lieutenant-governor shall always be a member of the council, except when the chair of the governor shall be vacant.

ART. III. Whenever the chair of the governor shall be vacant, by reason of his death, or absence from the commonwealth, or otherwise, the lieutenant-governor, for the time being, shall, during such vacancy, perform all the duties incumbent upon the governor, and shall have and exercise all the powers and authorities, which by this constitution the governor is vested with, when personally present.

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## CHAPTER II.

### SECTION III.

#### *Council, and the Manner of settling Elections by the Legislature.*

ARTICLE I. There shall be a council for advising the governor in the executive part of the government, to consist of [nine] persons besides the lieutenant-governor, whom the governor, for the time being, shall have full power and authority, from time to time, at his discretion, to assemble and call together; and the governor, with the said councillors, or five of them at least, shall and may, from time to time, hold and keep a council, for the ordering and directing the affairs of the commonwealth, according to the laws of the land. [See Amendments, Article XVI.]

ART. II. [Nine councillors shall be annually chosen from among the persons returned for councillors and senators, on the last Wednesday in May, by the joint ballot of the senators and representatives assembled in one room; and in case there shall not be found upon the first choice, the whole number of nine persons who will accept a seat in the council, the deficiency shall be made up by the electors aforesaid from among the people at large; and the number of senators left shall constitute the senate for the year. The seats of the persons thus elected from the senate, and accepting the trust, shall be vacated in the senate.] [See Amendments, Articles X., XIII., XVI.]

ART. III. The councillors, in the civil arrangements of the commonwealth, shall have rank next after the lieutenant-governor.

ART. IV. [Not more than two councillors shall be chosen out of any one district of this commonwealth.] [See Amendments, Article XVI.]

ART. V. The resolutions and advice of the council shall be recorded in a register, and signed by the members present; and this record may be called for at any time by either house of the legislature; and any member of the council may insert his opinion, contrary to the resolution of the majority.

ART. VI. Whenever the office of the governor and lieutenant-governor shall be vacant, by reason of death, absence, or otherwise, then the council, or the major part of them, shall, during such vacancy, have full power and authority to do, and execute, all and every such acts, matters, and things, as the governor or the lieutenant-governor might or could, by virtue of this constitution, do or execute, if they, or either of them, were personally present.

ART. VII. [And whereas the elections appointed to be made, by this constitution, on the last Wednesday in May annually, by the two houses of the legislature, may not be completed on that day, the said elections may be adjourned from day to day until the same shall be completed. And the order of elections shall be as follows: the vacancies in the senate, if any, shall first be filled up; the governor and lieutenant-governor shall then be elected, provided there should be no choice of them by the people; and afterwards the two houses shall proceed to the election of the council.] [See Amendments, Articles XVI., XXV.]

**CHAPTER II.****SECTION IV.***Secretary, Treasurer, Commissary, etc.*

**ARTICLE I.** [The secretary, treasurer and receiver-general, and the commissary-general, notaries public, and] naval officers, shall be chosen annually, by joint ballot of the senators and representatives in one room. And, that the citizens of this commonwealth may be assured, from time to time, that the moneys remaining in the public treasury, upon the settlement and liquidation of the public accounts, are their property, no man shall be eligible as treasurer and receiver-general more than five years successively. [See Amendments, Articles IV., XVII.]

**ART. II.** The records of the commonwealth shall be kept in the office of the secretary, who may appoint his deputies, for whose conduct he shall be accountable; and he shall attend the governor and council, the senate and house of representatives, in person, or by his deputies, as they shall respectively require.

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**CHAPTER III.****JUDICIARY POWER.**

**ARTICLE I.** The tenure, that all commissioned officers shall by law have in their offices, shall be expressed in their respective commissions. All judicial officers, duly appointed, commissioned, and sworn, shall hold their offices during good behavior, excepting such concerning whom there is different provision made in this constitution: provided, nevertheless, the governor, with the consent of the council, may remove them upon the address of both houses of the legislature.

**ART. II.** Each branch of the legislature, as well as the governor and council, shall have authority to require the opinions of the justices of the supreme judicial court, upon important questions of law, and upon solemn occasions.

ART. III. In order that the people may not suffer from the long continuance in place of any justice of the peace who shall fail of discharging the important duties of his office with ability or fidelity, all commissions of justices of the peace shall expire and become void, in the term of seven years from their respective dates; and, upon the expiration of any commission, the same may, if necessary, be renewed, or another person appointed, as shall most conduce to the well-being of the commonwealth.

ART. IV. The judges of probate of wills, and for granting letters of administration, shall hold their courts at such place or places, on fixed days, as the convenience of the people shall require; and the legislature shall, from time to time, hereafter, appoint such times and places; until which appointments, the said courts shall be holden at the times and places which the respective judges shall direct.

ART. V. All causes of marriage, divorce, and alimony, and all appeals from the judges of probate, shall be heard and determined by the governor and council, until the legislature shall, by law, make other provision.

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## CHAPTER IV.

### DELEGATES TO CONGRESS.

[The delegates of this commonwealth to the congress of the United States, shall, some time in the month of June, annually, be elected by the joint ballot of the senate and house of representatives, assembled together in one room; to serve in congress for one year, to commence on the first Monday in November then next ensuing. They shall have commissions under the hand of the governor, and the great seal of the commonwealth; but may be recalled at any time within the year, and others chosen and commissioned, in the same manner, in their stead.]

## CHAPTER V.

THE UNIVERSITY AT CAMBRIDGE, AND ENCOURAGEMENT OF  
LITERATURE, ETC.

## SECTION I.

*The University.*

ARTICLE I. Whereas our wise and pious ancestors, so early as the year one thousand six hundred and thirty-six, laid the foundation of Harvard College, in which university many persons of great eminence have, by the blessing of God, been initiated in those arts and sciences which qualified them for public employments, both in church and state; and whereas the encouragement of arts and sciences, and all good literature, tends to the honor of God, the advantage of the Christian religion, and the great benefit of this and the other United States of America, — it is declared, that the PRESIDENT AND FELLOWS OF HARVARD COLLEGE, in their corporate capacity, and their successors in that capacity, their officers and servants, shall have, hold, use, exercise, and enjoy, all the powers, authorities, rights, liberties, privileges, immunities, and franchises, which they now have, or are entitled to have, hold, use, exercise, and enjoy; and the same are hereby ratified and confirmed unto them, the said president and fellows of Harvard College, and to their successors, and to their officers and servants, respectively, forever.

ART. II. And whereas there have been at sundry times, by divers persons, gifts, grants, devises of houses, lands, tenements, goods, chattels, legacies, and conveyances, heretofore made, either to Harvard College in Cambridge, in New England, or to the president and fellows of Harvard College, or to the said college by some other description, under several charters, successively; it is declared, that all the said gifts, grants, devises, legacies, and conveyances, are hereby forever confirmed unto the president and fellows of Harvard College, and to their successors in the capacity aforesaid, according to the true intent and meaning of the donor or donors, grantor or grantors, devisor or devisors.



ART. III. And whereas, by an act of the general court of the colony of Massachusetts Bay, passed in the year one thousand six hundred and forty-two, the governor and deputy-governor, for the time being, and all the magistrates of that jurisdiction, were, with the president, and a number of the clergy in the said act described, constituted the overseers of Harvard College; and it being necessary, in this new constitution of government to ascertain who shall be deemed successors to the said governor, deputy-governor, and magistrates; it is declared, that the governor, lieutenant-governor, council, and senate of this commonwealth, are, and shall be deemed, their successors, who, with the president of Harvard College, for the time being, together with the ministers of the congregational churches in the towns of Cambridge, Watertown, Charlestown, Boston, Roxbury, and Dorchester, mentioned in the said act, shall be, and hereby are, vested with all the powers and authority belonging, or in any way appertaining to the overseers of Harvard College; provided, that nothing herein shall be construed to prevent the legislature of this commonwealth from making such alterations in the government of the said university, as shall be conducive to its advantage, and the interest of the republic of letters, in as full a manner as might have been done by the legislature of the late Province of the Massachusetts Bay.

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## CHAPTER V.

### SECTION II.

#### *The Encouragement of Literature, etc.*

Wisdom and knowledge, as well as virtue, diffused generally among the body of the people, being necessary for the preservation of their rights and liberties; and as these depend on spreading the opportunities and advantages of education in the various parts of the country, and among the different orders of the people, it shall be the duty of legislatures and magistrates, in all future periods of this commonwealth, to cherish the interests of literature and the sciences, and all seminaries of them; especially the university at Cambridge, public schools and

grammar schools in the towns; to encourage private societies and public institutions, rewards and immunities, for the promotion of agriculture, arts, sciences, commerce, trades, manufactures, and a natural history of the country; to countenance and inculcate the principles of humanity and general benevolence, public and private charity, industry and frugality, honesty and punctuality in their dealings; sincerity, good humor, and all social affections, and generous sentiments, among the people. [See Amendments, Article XVIII.]

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## CHAPTER VI.

OATHS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS; INCOMPATIBILITY OF AND EXCLUSION FROM OFFICES; PECUNIARY QUALIFICATIONS; COMMISSIONS; WRITS; CONFIRMATION OF LAWS; HABEAS CORPUS; THE ENACTING STYLE; CONTINUANCE OF OFFICERS; PROVISION FOR A FUTURE REVISAL OF THE CONSTITUTION, ETC.

ARTICLE I. [Any person chosen governor, lieutenant-governor, councillor, senator, or representative, and accepting the trust, shall, before he proceed to execute the duties of his place or office, make and subscribe the following declaration, viz.:

“I, A. B., do declare, that I believe the Christian religion, and have a firm persuasion of its truth; and that I am seised and possessed, in my own right, of the property required by the constitution, as one qualification for the office or place to which I am elected.” [See Amendments, Article VII.]

And the governor, lieutenant-governor, and councillors, shall make and subscribe the said declaration, in the presence of the two houses of assembly; and the senators and representatives, first elected under this constitution, before the president and five of the council of the former constitution; and forever afterwards before the governor and council for the time being.]

And every person chosen to either of the places or offices aforesaid, as also any person appointed or commissioned to any judicial, executive, military, or other office under the government, shall, before he enters on the discharge of the business of his place or office, take and subscribe the following declaration, and oaths or affirmations, viz.:

["I, A. B., do truly and sincerely acknowledge, profess, testify, and declare, that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is, and of right ought to be, a free, sovereign, and independent state; and I do swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the said commonwealth, and that I will defend the same against traitorous conspiracies and all hostile attempts whatsoever; and that I do renounce and abjure all allegiance, subjection, and obedience to the king, queen, or government of Great Britain (as the case may be), and every other foreign power whatsoever; and that no foreign prince, person, prelate, state, or potentate, hath, or ought to have, any jurisdiction, superiority, pre-eminence, authority, dispensing or other power, in any matter, civil, ecclesiastical, or spiritual, within this commonwealth, except the authority and power which is or may be vested by their constituents in the congress of the United States: and I do further testify and declare, that no man or body of men hath or can have any right to absolve or discharge me from the obligation of this oath, declaration, or affirmation; and that I do make this acknowledgment, profession, testimony, declaration, denial, renunciation, and abjuration, heartily and truly, according to the common meaning and acceptation of the foregoing words, without any equivocation, mental evasion, or secret reservation whatsoever. So help me, God."'] [See Amendments, Article VI.]

"I, A. B., do solemnly swear and affirm, that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as \_\_\_\_\_, according to the best of my abilities and understanding, agreeably to the rules and regulations of the constitution and the laws of the commonwealth. So help me, God."

Provided, always, that when any person chosen or appointed as aforesaid, shall be of the denomination of the people called Quakers, and shall decline taking the said oath[s], he shall make his affirmation in the foregoing form, and subscribe the same, omitting the words, ["*I do swear,*" "*and abjure,*" "*oath or,*" "*and abjuration,*" in the first oath, and in the second oath, the words] "*swear and,*" and [in each of them] the words "*So help me, God;*" subjoining instead thereof, "*This I do under the pains and penalties of perjury.*" [See Amendments, Article VI.]

And the said oaths or affirmations shall be taken and subscribed by the governor, lieutenant-governor, and councillors, before the president of the senate, in the presence of the two houses of assembly; and by the senators and representatives first elected under this constitution, before the president and five of the council of the former constitution; and forever afterwards before the governor and council for the time being; and by the residue of the officers aforesaid, before such persons and in such manner as from time to time shall be prescribed by the legislature.

ART. II. No governor, lieutenant-governor, or judge of the supreme judicial court, shall hold any other office or place, under the authority of this commonwealth, except such as by this constitution they are admitted to hold, saving that the judges of the said court may hold the offices of justices of the peace through the state; nor shall they hold any other place or office, or receive any pension or salary from any other state or government or power whatever. [See Amendments, Article VIII.]

No person shall be capable of holding or exercising at the same time, within this state, more than one of the following offices, viz.: judge of probate—sheriff—register of probate—or register of deeds; and never more than any two offices, which are to be held by appointment of the governor, or the governor and council, or the senate, or the house of representatives, or by the election of the people of the state at large, or of the people of any county, military offices, and the offices of justices of the peace excepted, shall be held by one person.

No person holding the office of judge of the supreme judicial court—secretary—attorney-general—solicitor-general—treasurer or receiver-general—judge of probate—commissary-general—[president, professor, or instructor of Harvard College]—sheriff—clerk of the house of representatives—register of probate—register of deeds—clerk of the supreme judicial court—clerk of the inferior court of common pleas—or officer of the customs, including in this description naval officers—shall at the same time have a seat in the senate or house of representatives; but their being chosen or appointed to, and accepting the

same, shall operate as a resignation of their seat in the senate or house of representatives; and the place so vacated shall be filled up. [See Amendments, Articles VIII., XXVII.]

And the same rule shall take place in case any judge of the said supreme judicial court, or judge of probate, shall accept a seat in council; or any councillor shall accept of either of those offices or places.

And no person shall ever be admitted to hold a seat in the legislature, or any office of trust or importance under the government of this commonwealth, who shall, in the due course of law, have been convicted of bribery or corruption in obtaining an election or appointment.

**ART. III.** In all cases where sums of money are mentioned in this constitution, the value thereof shall be computed in silver, at six shillings and eight pence per ounce; and it shall be in the power of the legislature, from time to time, to increase such qualifications, as to property, of the persons to be elected to offices, as the circumstances of the commonwealth shall require. [See Amendments, Articles XIII., XXXIV.]

**ART. IV.** All commissions shall be in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, signed by the governor and attested by the secretary or his deputy, and have the great seal of the commonwealth affixed thereto.

**ART. V.** All writs, issuing out of the clerk's office in any of the courts of law, shall be in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; they shall be under the seal of the court from whence they issue; they shall bear test of the first justice of the court to which they shall be returnable, who is not a party, and be signed by the clerk of such court.

**ART. VI.** All the laws which have heretofore been adopted, used, and approved in the Province, Colony, or State of Massachusetts Bay, and usually practised on in the courts of law, shall still remain and be in full force, until altered or repealed by the legislature; such parts only excepted as are repugnant to the rights and liberties contained in this constitution.

ART. VII. The privilege and benefit of the writ of *habeas corpus* shall be enjoyed in this commonwealth, in the most free, easy, cheap, expeditious, and ample manner; and shall not be suspended by the legislature, except upon the most urgent and pressing occasions and for a limited time, not exceeding twelve months.

ART. VIII. The enacting style, in making and passing all acts, statutes and laws, shall be — “ Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same.”

ART. IX. To the end there may be no failure of justice, or danger arise to the commonwealth from a change of the form of government, all officers, civil and military, holding commissions under the government and people of Massachusetts Bay in New England, and all other officers of the said government and people, at the time this constitution shall take effect, shall have, hold, use, exercise, and enjoy, all the powers and authority to them granted or committed, until other persons shall be appointed in their stead; and all courts of law shall proceed in the execution of the business of their respective departments; and all the executive and legislative officers, bodies, and powers shall continue in full force, in the enjoyment and exercise of all their trusts, employments, and authority; until the general court, and the supreme and executive officers under this constitution, are designated and invested with their respective trusts, powers and authority.

ART. X. [In order the more effectually to adhere to the principles of the constitution, and to correct those violations which by any means may be made therein, as well as to form such alterations as from experience shall be found necessary, the general court which shall be in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, shall issue precepts to the selectmen of the several towns, and to the assessors of the unincorporated plantations, directing them to convene the qualified voters of their respective towns and plantations, for the purpose of collecting their sentiments on the necessity or expediency

of revising the constitution, in order to amendments. [See Amendments, Article IX.]

And if it shall appear, by the returns made, that two-thirds of the qualified voters throughout the state, who shall assemble and vote in consequence of the said precepts, are in favor of such revision or amendment, the general court shall issue precepts, or direct them to be issued from the secretary's office, to the several towns to elect delegates to meet in convention for the purpose aforesaid.

The said delegates to be chosen in the same manner and proportion as their representatives in the second branch of the legislature are by this constitution to be chosen.]

ART. XI. This form of government shall be enrolled on parchment, and deposited in the secretary's office, and be a part of the laws of the land; and printed copies thereof shall be prefixed to the book containing the laws of this commonwealth, in all future editions of the said laws.

## **ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT.**

**ARTICLE I.** If any bill or resolve shall be objected to, and not approved by the governor; and if the general court shall adjourn within five days after the same shall have been laid before the governor for his approbation, and thereby prevent his returning it with his objections, as provided by the constitution, such bill or resolve shall not become a law, nor have force as such.

**ART. II.** The general court shall have full power and authority to erect and constitute municipal or city governments, in any corporate town or towns in this commonwealth, and to grant to the inhabitants thereof such powers, privileges, and immunities, not repugnant to the constitution, as the general court shall deem necessary or expedient for the regulation and government thereof, and to prescribe the manner of calling and holding public meetings of the inhabitants, in wards or otherwise, for the election of officers under the constitution, and the manner of returning the votes given at such meetings. Provided, that no such government shall be erected or constituted in any town not containing twelve thousand inhabitants, nor unless it be with the consent, and on the application of a majority of the inhabitants of such town, present and voting thereon, pursuant to a vote at a meeting duly warned and holden for that purpose. And provided, also, that all by-laws, made by such municipal or city government, shall be subject, at all times, to be annulled by the general court.

**ART. III.** Every male citizen of twenty-one years of age and upwards, excepting paupers and persons under guardianship, who shall have resided within the commonwealth one year, and within the town or district in which he may claim a right to vote, six calendar months next preceding any election of governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, or representatives, [and who shall have paid by himself, or his parent, master, or guardian, any state or county tax, which shall, within two years next preceding



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such election, have been assessed upon him, in any town or district of this commonwealth; and also every citizen who shall be, by law, exempted from taxation, and who shall be in all other respects, qualified as above mentioned,] shall have a right to vote in such election of governor, lieutenant-governor, senators and representatives; and no other person shall be entitled to vote in such elections. [See Amendments, Articles XX., XXIII., XXVI., XXVIII., XXX., XXXI., XXXII.]

ART. IV. Notaries public shall be appointed by the governor in the same manner as judicial officers are appointed, and shall hold their offices during seven years, unless sooner removed by the governor, with the consent of the council, upon the address of both houses of the legislature.

[In case the office of secretary or treasurer of the commonwealth shall become vacant from any cause, during the recess of the general court, the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, shall nominate and appoint, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, a competent and suitable person to such vacant office, who shall hold the same until a successor shall be appointed by the general court.] [See Amendments, Article XVII.]

Whenever the exigencies of the commonwealth shall require the appointment of a commissary-general, he shall be nominated, appointed, and commissioned, in such manner as the legislature may, by law, prescribe.

All officers commissioned to command in the militia may be removed from office in such manner as the legislature may, by law, prescribe.

ART. V. In the elections of captains and subalterns of the militia, all the members of their respective companies, as well those under as those above the age of twenty-one years, shall have a right to vote.

ART. VI. Instead of the oath of allegiance prescribed by the constitution, the following oath shall be taken and subscribed by every person chosen or appointed to any office, civil or military,

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under the government of this commonwealth, before he shall enter on the duties of his office, to wit:—

“I, A. B., do solemnly swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and will support the constitution thereof. So help me, God.”

*Provided*, That when any person shall be of the denomination called Quakers, and shall decline taking said oath, he shall make his affirmation in the foregoing form, omitting the word “swear” and inserting, instead thereof, the word “affirm” and omitting the words “So help me, God,” and subjoining, instead thereof, the words, “This I do under the pains and penalties of perjury.”

ART. VII. No oath, declaration, or subscription, excepting the oath prescribed in the preceding article, and the oath of office, shall be required of the governor, lieutenant-governor, councillors, senators, or representatives, to qualify them to perform the duties of their respective offices.

ART. VIII. No judge of any court of this commonwealth, (except the court of sessions,) and no person holding any office under the authority of the United States, (postmasters excepted,) shall, at the same time, hold the office of governor, lieutenant-governor, or councillor, or have a seat in the senate or house of representatives of this commonwealth; and no judge of any court in this commonwealth. (except the court of sessions,) nor the attorney-general, solicitor-general, county attorney, clerk of any court, sheriff, treasurer, and receiver-general, register of probate, nor register of deeds, shall continue to hold his said office after being elected a member of the Congress of the United States, and accepting that trust; but the acceptance of such trust, by any of the officers aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken to be a resignation of his said office; and judges of the courts of common pleas shall hold no other office under the government of this commonwealth, the office of justice of the peace and militia offices excepted.

ART. IX. If, at any time hereafter, any specific and particular amendment or amendments to the constitution be proposed in the general court, and agreed to by a majority of the senators and

two-thirds of the members of the house of representatives present and voting thereon, such proposed amendment or amendments shall be entered on the journals of the two houses, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the general court then next to be chosen, and shall be published: and if, in the general court next chosen as aforesaid, such proposed amendment or amendments shall be agreed to by a majority of the senators and two-thirds of the members of the house of representatives present and voting thereon, then it shall be the duty of the general court to submit such proposed amendment or amendments to the people; and if they shall be approved and ratified by a majority of the qualified voters, voting thereon at meetings legally warned and holden for that purpose, they shall become part of the constitution of this commonwealth.

ART. X. The political year shall begin on the first Wednesday of January, instead of the last Wednesday of May; and the general court shall assemble every year on the said first Wednesday of January, and shall proceed, at that session, to make all the elections, and do all the other acts, which are by the constitution required to be made and done at the session which has heretofore commenced on the last Wednesday of May. And the general court shall be dissolved on the day next preceding the first Wednesday of January, without any proclamation or other act of the governor. But nothing herein contained shall prevent the general court from assembling at such other times as they shall judge necessary, or when called together by the governor. The governor, lieutenant-governor, and councillors, shall also hold their respective offices for one year next following the first Wednesday of January, and until others are chosen and qualified in their stead.

[The meeting for the choice of governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, and representatives, shall be held on the second Monday of November in every year; but meetings may be adjourned, if necessary, for the choice of representatives, to the next day, and again to the next succeeding day, but no further. But in case a second meeting shall be necessary for the choice of representatives, such meetings shall be held on the fourth Monday of the same month of November.] [See Amendments, Article XV.]

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All the other provisions of the constitution, respecting the elections and proceedings of the members of the general court, or of any other officers or persons whatever, that have reference to the last Wednesday of May, as the commencement of the political year, shall be so far altered, as to have like reference to the first Wednesday of January.

This article shall go into operation on the first day of October, next following the day when the same shall be duly ratified and adopted as an amendment of the constitution; and the governor, lieutenant-governor, councillors, senators, representatives, and all other state officers, who are annually chosen, and who shall be chosen for the current year, when the same shall go into operation, shall hold their respective offices until the first Wednesday of January then next following, and until others are chosen and qualified in their stead, and no longer; and the first election of the governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, and representatives, to be had in virtue of this article, shall be had conformably thereunto, in the month of November following the day on which the same shall be in force, and go into operation, pursuant to the foregoing provision.

All the provisions of the existing constitution, inconsistent with the provisions herein contained, are hereby wholly annulled.

ART. XI. Instead of the third article of the bill of rights, the following modification and amendment thereof is substituted:—

“As the public worship of God and instructions in piety, religion, and morality, promote the happiness and prosperity of a people, and the security of a republican government; therefore, the several religious societies of this commonwealth, whether corporate or unincorporate, at any meeting legally warned and holden for that purpose, shall ever have the right to elect their pastors or religious teachers, to contract with them for their support, to raise money for erecting and repairing houses for public worship, for the maintenance of religious instruction, and for the payment of necessary expenses; and all persons belonging to any religious society shall be taken and held to be members until they shall file with the clerk of such society a written notice, declaring the dissolution of their membership, and thenceforth shall not be liable for any grant or contract which may be thereafter

made, or entered into by such society; and all religious sects and denominations, demeaning themselves peaceably, and as good citizens of the commonwealth, shall be equally under the protection of the law; and no subordination of any one sect or denomination to another shall ever be established by law."

ART. XII. [In order to provide for a representation of the citizens of this commonwealth, founded upon the principles of equality, a census of the ratable polls, in each city, town, or district of the commonwealth, on the first day of May, shall be taken and returned into the secretary's office, in such manner as the legislature shall provide, within the month of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, and in every tenth year thereafter, in the month of May, in the manner aforesaid; and each town or city having three hundred ratable polls at the last preceding decennial census of polls, may elect one representative, and for every four hundred and fifty ratable polls in addition to the first three hundred, one representative more.

Any town having less than three hundred ratable polls shall be represented thus: The whole number of ratable polls, at the last preceding decennial census of polls, shall be multiplied by ten, and the product divided by three hundred; and such town may elect one representative as many years within ten years, as three hundred is contained in the product aforesaid.

Any city or town having ratable polls enough to elect one or more representatives, with any number of polls beyond the necessary number, may be represented, as to that surplus number, by multiplying such surplus number by ten and dividing the product by four hundred and fifty; and such city or town may elect one additional representative as many years, within the ten years, as four hundred and fifty is contained in the product aforesaid.

Any two or more of the several towns and districts may, by consent of a majority of the legal voters present at a legal meeting, in each of said towns and districts, respectively, called for that purpose, and held previous to the first day of July, in the year in which the decennial census of polls shall be taken, form themselves into a representative district to continue until the next decennial census of polls, for the election of a representative, or

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representatives; and such district shall have all the rights, in regard to representation, which would belong to a town containing the same number of ratable polls.

The governor and council shall ascertain and determine, within the months of July and August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, according to the foregoing principles, the number of representatives which each city, town, and representative district is entitled to elect, and the number of years, within the period of ten years then next ensuing, that each city, town, and representative district may elect an additional representative; and where any town has not a sufficient number of polls to elect a representative each year, then, how many years within the ten years, such town may elect a representative; and the same shall be done once in ten years, thereafter, by the governor and council, and the number of ratable polls in each decennial census of polls, shall determine the number of representatives which each city, town, and representative district may elect as aforesaid; and when the number of representatives to be elected by each city, town, or representative district is ascertained and determined as aforesaid, the governor shall cause the same to be published forthwith for the information of the people, and that number shall remain fixed and unalterable for the period of ten years.

All the provisions of the existing constitution inconsistent with the provisions herein contained, are hereby wholly annulled.] [See Amendments, Articles XIII., XXI.]

ART. XIII. [A census of the inhabitants of each city and town, on the first day of May, shall be taken, and returned into the secretary's office, on or before the last day of June, of the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, and of every tenth year thereafter; which census shall determine the apportionment of senators and representatives for the term of ten years. [See Amendments, Articles XXI., XXII.]

The several senatorial districts now existing shall be permanent. The senate shall consist of forty members; and in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, and every tenth year thereafter, the governor and council shall assign the number of senators to be chosen in each district, according to the number of

inhabitants in the same. But, in all cases, at least one senator shall be assigned to each district. [See Amendments, Article XXII.]

The members of the house of representatives shall be apportioned in the following manner: Every town or city containing twelve hundred inhabitants may elect one representative; and two thousand four hundred inhabitants shall be the mean increasing number, which shall entitle it to an additional representative. [See Amendments, Article XXI.]

Every town containing less than twelve hundred inhabitants shall be entitled to elect a representative as many times within ten years as the number one hundred and sixty is contained in the number of the inhabitants of said town. Such towns may also elect one representative for the year in which the valuation of estates within the commonwealth shall be settled.

Any two or more of the several towns may, by consent of a majority of the legal voters present at a legal meeting, in each of said towns, respectively, called for that purpose, and held before the first day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, and every tenth year thereafter, form themselves into a representative district, to continue for the term of ten years; and such district shall have all the rights, in regard to representation, which would belong to a town containing the same number of inhabitants.

The number of inhabitants which shall entitle a town to elect one representative, and the mean increasing number which shall entitle a town or city to elect more than one, and also the number by which the population of towns not entitled to a representative every year is to be divided, shall be increased, respectively, by one-tenth of the numbers above mentioned, whenever the population of the commonwealth shall have increased to seven hundred and seventy thousand, and for every additional increase of seventy thousand inhabitants, the same addition of one-tenth shall be made, respectively, to the said numbers above mentioned.

In the year of each decennial census, the governor and council shall, before the first day of September, apportion the number of representatives which each city, town, and representative district is entitled to elect, and ascertain how many years, within ten years, any town may elect a representative, which is not entitled

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to elect one every year; and the governor shall cause the same to be published forthwith.

Nine councillors shall be annually chosen from among the people at large, on the first Wednesday of January, or as soon thereafter as may be, by the joint ballot of the senators and representatives, assembled in one room, who shall, as soon as may be, in like manner, fill up any vacancies that may happen in the council, by death, resignation, or otherwise. No person shall be elected a councillor, who has not been an inhabitant of this commonwealth for the term of five years immediately preceding his election; and not more than one councillor shall be chosen from any one senatorial district in the commonwealth.] [See Amendments, Article XVI.]

No possession of a freehold, or of any other estate, shall be required as a qualification for holding a seat in either branch of the general court, or in the executive council.

ART. XIV. In all elections of civil officers by the people of this commonwealth, whose election is provided for by the constitution, the person having the highest number of votes shall be deemed and declared to be elected.

ART. XV. The meeting for the choice of governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, and representatives, shall be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, annually; but in case of a failure to elect representatives on that day, a second meeting shall be holden, for that purpose, on the fourth Monday of the same month of November.

ART. XVI. Eight councillors shall be annually chosen by the inhabitants of this commonwealth, qualified to vote for governor. The election of councillors shall be determined by the same rule that is required in the election of governor. The legislature, at its first session after this amendment shall have been adopted, and at its first session after the next state census shall have been taken, and at its first session after each decennial state census thereafter, shall divide the commonwealth into eight districts of contiguous territory, each containing a number of inhabitants as nearly equal as practicable, without dividing any town or ward



of a city, and each entitled to elect one councillor : *provided, however*, that if, at any time, the constitution shall provide for the division of the commonwealth into forty senatorial districts, then the legislature shall so arrange the councillor districts, that each district shall consist of five contiguous senatorial districts, as they shall be, from time to time, established by the legislature. No person shall be eligible to the office of councillor who has not been an inhabitant of the commonwealth for the term of five years immediately preceding his election. The day and manner of the election, the return of the votes, and the declaration of the said elections, shall be the same as are required in the election of governor. [Whenever there shall be a failure to elect the full number of councillors, the vacancies shall be filled in the same manner as is required for filling vacancies in the senate; and vacancies occasioned by death, removal from the state, or otherwise, shall be filled in like manner, as soon as may be, after such vacancies shall have happened.] And that there may be no delay in the organization of the government on the first Wednesday of January, the governor, with at least five councillors for the time being, shall, as soon as may be, examine the returned copies of the records for the election of governor, lieutenant-governor, and councillors; and ten days before the said first Wednesday in January he shall issue his summons to such persons as appear to be chosen, to attend on that day to be qualified accordingly; and the secretary shall lay the returns before the senate and house of representatives on the said first Wednesday in January, to be by them examined; and in case of the election of either of said officers, the choice shall be by them declared and published; but in case there shall be no election of either of said officers, the legislature shall proceed to fill such vacancies in the manner provided in the constitution for the choice of such officers. [See Amendments, Article XXV.]

ART. XVII. The secretary, treasurer and receiver-general, auditor, and attorney-general, shall be chosen annually, on the day in November prescribed for the choice of governor; and each person then chosen as such, duly qualified in other respects, shall hold his office for the term of one year from the third Wednesday in January next thereafter, and until another is chosen and quali-

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fied in his stead. The qualification of the voters, the manner of the election, the return of the votes, and the declaration of the election, shall be such as are required in the election of governor. In case of a failure to elect either of said officers on the day in November aforesaid, or in case of the decease, in the mean time, of the person elected as such, such officer shall be chosen on or before the third Wednesday in January next thereafter, from the two persons who had the highest number of votes for said offices on the day in November aforesaid, by joint ballot of the senators and representatives, in one room; and in case the office of secretary, or treasurer and receiver-general, or auditor, or attorney-general, shall become vacant, from any cause, during an annual or special session of the general court, such vacancy shall in like manner be filled by choice from the people at large; but if such vacancy shall occur at any other time, it shall be supplied by the governor by appointment, with the advice and consent of the council. The person so chosen or appointed, duly qualified in other respects, shall hold his office until his successor is chosen and duly qualified in his stead. In case any person chosen or appointed to either of the offices aforesaid, shall neglect, for the space of ten days after he could otherwise enter upon his duties, to qualify himself in all respects to enter upon the discharge of such duties, the office to which he has been elected or appointed shall be deemed vacant. No person shall be eligible to either of said offices unless he shall have been an inhabitant of this commonwealth five years next preceding his election or appointment.

ART. XVIII. All moneys raised by taxation in the towns and cities for the support of public schools, and all moneys which may be appropriated by the state for the support of common schools, shall be applied to, and expended in, no other schools than those which are conducted according to law, under the order and superintendence of the authorities of the town or city in which the money is to be expended; and such money shall never be appropriated to any religious sect for the maintenance, exclusively, of its own school.

ART. XIX. The legislature shall prescribe, by general law, for the election of sheriffs, registers of probate, [commissioners

of insolvency,] and clerks of the courts, by the people of the several counties, and that district-attorneys shall be chosen by the people of the several districts, for such term of office as the legislature shall prescribe. [See Amendments, Article XXXVI.]

ART. XX. No person shall have the right to vote, or be eligible to office under the constitution of this commonwealth, who shall not be able to read the constitution in the English language, and write his name: *provided, however*, that the provisions of this amendment shall not apply to any person prevented by a physical disability from complying with its requisitions, nor to any person who now has the right to vote, nor to any persons who shall be sixty years of age or upwards at the time this amendment shall take effect. [See Amendments, Articles III., XXIII., XXVI.]

ART. XXI. A census of the legal voters of each city and town, on the first day of May, shall be taken and returned into the office of the secretary of the commonwealth, on or before the last day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; and a census of the inhabitants of each city and town, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and of every tenth year thereafter. In the census aforesaid, a special enumeration shall be made of the legal voters; and in each city, said enumeration shall specify the number of such legal voters aforesaid, residing in each ward of such city. The enumeration aforesaid shall determine the apportionment of representatives for the periods between the taking of the census.

The house of representatives shall consist of two hundred and forty members, which shall be apportioned by the legislature, at its first session after the return of each enumeration as aforesaid, to the several counties of the commonwealth, equally, as nearly as may be, according to their relative numbers of legal voters, as ascertained by the next preceding special enumeration; and the town of Cohasset, in the county of Norfolk, shall, for this purpose, as well as in the formation of districts, as hereinafter provided, be considered a part of the county of Plymouth; and it shall be the duty of the secretary of the commonwealth, to certify, as soon as may be after it is determined by the legis-

lature, the number of representatives to which each county shall be entitled, to the board authorized to divide each county into representative districts. The mayor and aldermen of the city of Boston, the county commissioners of other counties than Suffolk, —or in lieu of the mayor and aldermen of the city of Boston, or of the county commissioners in each county other than Suffolk, such board of special commissioners in each county, to be elected by the people of the county, or of the towns therein, as may for that purpose be provided by law, —shall, on the first Tuesday of August next after each assignment of representatives to each county, assemble at a shire town of their respective counties, and proceed, as soon as may be, to divide the same into representative districts of contiguous territory, so as to apportion the representation assigned to each county equally, as nearly as may be, according to the relative number of legal voters in the several districts of each county; and such districts shall be so formed that no town or ward of a city shall be divided therefor, nor shall any district be made which shall be entitled to elect more than three representatives. Every representative, for one year at least next preceding his election, shall have been an inhabitant of the district for which he is chosen and shall cease to represent such district when he shall cease to be an inhabitant of the commonwealth. The districts in each county shall be numbered by the board creating the same, and a description of each, with the numbers thereof and the number of legal voters therein, shall be returned by the board, to the secretary of the commonwealth, the county treasurer of each county, and to the clerk of every town in each district, to be filed and kept in their respective offices. The manner of calling and conducting the meetings for the choice of representatives, and of ascertaining their election, shall be prescribed by law. [Not less than one hundred members of the house of representatives shall constitute a quorum for doing business; but a less number may organize temporarily, adjourn from day to day, and compel the attendance of absent members.] [See Amendments, Article XXXIII.]

ART. XXII. A census of the legal voters of each city and town, on the first day of May, shall be taken and returned into the office of the secretary of the commonwealth, on or before the last day

of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred fifty-seven; and a census of the inhabitants of each city and town, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and of every tenth year thereafter. In the census aforesaid, a special enumeration shall be made of the legal voters, and in each city said enumeration shall specify the number of such legal voters aforesaid, residing in each ward of such city. The enumeration aforesaid shall determine the apportionment of senators for the periods between the taking of the census. The senate shall consist of forty members. The general court shall, at its first session after each next preceding special enumeration, divide the commonwealth into forty districts of adjacent territory, each district to contain, as nearly as may be, an equal number of legal voters, according to the enumeration aforesaid: *provided, however*, that no town or ward of a city shall be divided therefor; and such districts shall be formed, as nearly as may be, without uniting two counties, or parts of two or more counties, into one district. Each district shall elect one senator, who shall have been an inhabitant of this commonwealth five years at least immediately preceding his election, and at the time of his election shall be an inhabitant of the district for which he is chosen; and he shall cease to represent such senatorial district when he shall cease to be an inhabitant of the commonwealth. [Not less than sixteen senators shall constitute a quorum for doing business; but a less number may organize temporarily, adjourn from day to day, and compel the attendance of absent members.] [See Amendments, Articles XXIV., XXXIII.]

ART. XXIII. [No person of foreign birth shall be entitled to vote, or shall be eligible to office, unless he shall have resided within the jurisdiction of the United States for two years subsequent to his naturalization, and shall be otherwise qualified, according to the constitution and laws of this commonwealth: *provided*, that this amendment shall not affect the rights which any person of foreign birth possessed at the time of the adoption thereof; and, *provided, further*, that it shall not affect the rights of any child of a citizen of the United States, born during the temporary absence of the parent therefrom.] [See Amendments, Article XXVI.]

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ART. XXIV. Any vacancy in the senate shall be filled by election by the people of the unrepresented district, upon the order of a majority of the senators elected.

ART. XXV. In case of a vacancy in the council, from a failure of election, or other cause, the senate and house of representatives shall, by concurrent vote, choose some eligible person from the people of the district wherein such vacancy occurs, to fill that office. If such vacancy shall happen when the legislature is not in session, the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, may fill the same by appointment of some eligible person.

ART. XXVI. The twenty-third article of the articles of amendment of the constitution of this commonwealth, which is as follows, to wit: "No person of foreign birth shall be entitled to vote, or shall be eligible to office, unless he shall have resided within the jurisdiction of the United States for two years subsequent to his naturalization, and shall be otherwise qualified, according to the constitution and laws of this commonwealth: *provided*, that this amendment shall not affect the rights which any person of foreign birth possessed at the time of the adoption thereof; and *provided, further*, that it shall not affect the rights of any child of a citizen of the United States, born during the temporary absence of the parent therefrom," is hereby wholly annulled.

ART. XXVII. So much of article two of chapter six of the constitution of this commonwealth as relates to persons holding the office of president, professor, or instructor of Harvard College, is hereby annulled.

ART. XXVIII. No person having served in the army or navy of the United States in time of war, having been honorably discharged from such service, if otherwise qualified to vote, shall be disqualified therefor on account of [being a pauper,]; or, [if a pauper,] because of the non-payment of a poll tax. [See Amendments, Article XXXI.]

XXIX. The General Court shall have full power and authority to provide for the inhabitants of the towns in this Commonwealth more than one place of public meeting within the limits of each

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town for the election of officers under the constitution, and to prescribe the manner of calling, holding, and conducting such meetings.

All the provisions of the existing constitution inconsistent with the provisions herein contained are hereby annulled.

**ART. XXX.** No person, otherwise qualified to vote in elections for governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, and representatives, shall, by reason of a change of residence within the Commonwealth, be disqualified from voting for said officers in the city or town from which he has removed his residence, until the expiration of six calendar months from the time of such removal.

**ART. XXXI.** Article twenty-eight of the Amendments of the Constitution is hereby amended by striking out in the fourth line thereof the words "being a pauper," and inserting in place thereof the words:—receiving or having received aid from any city or town,— and also by striking out in said fourth line the words "if a pauper," so that the article as amended shall read as follows: **ARTICLE XXVIII.** No person having served in the army or navy of the United States at the time of war, and having been honorably discharged from such service, if otherwise qualified to vote, shall be disqualified therefor on account of receiving or having received aid from any city or town, or because of the non-payment of a poll-tax.

**ART. XXXII.** So much of article three of the Amendments of the Constitution of the Commonwealth as is contained in the following words: "and who shall have paid, by himself, or his parent, master, or guardian, any state or county tax, which shall, within two years next preceding such election, have been assessed upon him, in any town or district of this Commonwealth; and also every citizen who shall be, by law, exempted from taxation, and who shall be, in all other respects, qualified as above mentioned," is hereby annulled.

**ART. XXXIII.** A majority of the members of each branch of the General Court shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a less number may adjourn from day to day, and compel the attendance of absent members. All the provisions of

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the existing Constitution inconsistent with the provisions herein contained are hereby annulled.

ART. XXXIV. So much of article two of section one of chapter two of part second of the Constitution of the Commonwealth as is contained in the following words: "and unless he shall at the same time, be seised in his own right, of a freehold within the Commonwealth of the value of one thousand pounds," is hereby annulled.

ART. XXXV. So much of article two of section three of chapter one of the Constitution of the Commonwealth as is contained in the following words: "The expenses of travelling to the general assembly, and returning home, once in every session, and no more, shall be paid by the government, out of the public treasury, to every member who shall attend as seasonably as he can, in the judgment of the house, and does not depart without leave," is hereby annulled.

ART. XXXVI. So much of article nineteen of the articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth as is contained in the following words: "commissioners of insolvency," is hereby annulled.

[NOTE.—Soon after the Declaration of Independence, steps were taken in Massachusetts towards framing a Constitution or Form of Government. The Council and House of Representatives, or the General Court of 1777-78, in accordance with a recommendation of the General Court, of the previous year, met together as a Convention, and adopted a form of Constitution "for the State of Massachusetts Bay," which was submitted to the people, and by them rejected. This attempt to form a Constitution having proved unsuccessful, the General Court on the 20th of February, 1779, passed a Resolve calling upon the qualified voters to give in their votes upon the questions—Whether they chose to have a new Constitution or Form of Government made, and, Whether they will empower their representatives to vote for calling a State Convention for that purpose. A large majority of the inhabitants having voted in the affirmative to both these questions, the General Court, on the 17th of June, 1779, passed a Resolve calling upon the inhabitants to meet and choose delegates to a Constitutional Convention, to be held at Cambridge, on the 1st of September, 1779. The Conven-



tion met at time and place appointed, and organized by choosing James Bowdoin, President, and Samuel Barrett, Secretary. On the 11th of November the Convention adjourned, to meet at the Representatives' Chamber, in Boston, January 5th, 1780. On the 2d of March, of the same year, a form of Constitution having been agreed upon, a Resolve was passed by which the same was submitted to the people, and the Convention adjourned to meet at the Brattle Street Church, in Boston, June the 7th. At that time and place, the Convention again met, and appointed a Committee to examine the returns of votes from the several towns. On the 14th of June the Committee reported, and on the 15th the Convention resolved, "That the people of the State of Massachusetts Bay have accepted the Constitution as it stands, in the printed form submitted to their revision." A Resolve providing for carrying the new Constitution into effect was passed; and the Convention then, on the 16th of June, 1780, was finally dissolved. In accordance with the Resolves referred to, elections immediately took place in the several towns; and the first General Court of the COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS met at the State House, in Boston, on Wednesday, October 25th, 1780.

The Constitution contained a provision providing for taking, in 1795, the sense of the people as to the expediency or necessity of revising the original instrument. But no such revision was deemed necessary at that time. On the 16th of June, 1820, an Act was passed by the General Court, calling upon the people to meet in their several towns, and give in their votes upon the question, "Is it expedient that delegates should be chosen to meet in Convention for the purpose of revising or altering the Constitution of Government of this Commonwealth?" A large majority of the people of the State having voted in favor of revision, the Governor issued a proclamation announcing the fact, and calling upon the people to vote, in accordance with the provisions of the aforesaid Act, for delegates to the proposed Convention. The delegates met at the State House, in Boston, November 15, 1820, and organized by choosing John Adams, President, and Benjamin Pollard, Secretary. Mr. Adams, however, declined the appointment, and Isaac Parker was chosen in his stead. On the 9th of January, 1821, the Convention agreed to fourteen Articles of Amendment, and after passing a Resolve providing for submitting the same to the people, and appointing a committee to meet to count the votes upon the subject, was dissolved. The people voted on Monday, April 19th, 1821, and the Committee of the Convention met at the State House to count the votes, on Wednesday, May 24th. They made their return to the General Court; and at the request of the latter the Governor issued his proclamation on the 5th of June, 1821, announcing that nine of the fourteen Articles of Amendment had been adopted. These articles are numbered in the preceding pages from *one* to *nine* inclusive.

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The *tenth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the political years 1829-30, and 1830-31, and was approved and ratified by the people May 11th, 1831.

The *eleventh* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1832 and 1833, and was approved and ratified by the people November 11th, 1833.

The *twelfth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1835 and 1836, and was approved and ratified by the people November 14th, 1836.

The *thirteenth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1839 and 1840, and was approved and ratified by the people April 6th, 1840.

The General Court of the year 1851 passed an Act calling a third Convention to revise the Constitution. The Act was submitted to the people, and a majority voted against the proposed Convention. In 1852, on the 7th of May, another Act was passed calling upon the people to vote upon the question of calling a Constitutional Convention. A majority of the people having voted in favor of the proposed Convention, election for delegates thereto took place in March, 1853. The Convention met in the State House, in Boston, on the 4th day of May, 1853, and organized by choosing Nathaniel P. Banks, Jr., President, and William S. Robinson and James T. Robinson, Secretaries. On the 1st of August, this Convention agreed to a form of Constitution, and on the same day was dissolved, after having provided for submitting the same to the people, and appointed a committee to meet to count the votes, and to make a return thereof to the General Court. The Committee met at the time and place agreed upon, and found that the proposed Constitution had been rejected.

The *fourteenth*, *fifteenth*, *sixteenth*, *seventeenth*, *eighteenth*, and *nineteenth* Articles of Amendment were adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1854 and 1855, and were approved and ratified by the people May 23d, 1855.

The *twentieth*, *twenty-first* and *twenty-second* Articles of Amendment were adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1856 and 1857, and were approved and ratified by the people May 1st, 1857.

The *twenty-third* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1858 and 1859, and was approved and ratified by the people May 9th, 1859.

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The *twenty-fourth* and *twenty-fifth* Articles of Amendment were adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1859 and 1860, and were approved and ratified by the people May 17th, 1860.

The *twenty-sixth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1862 and 1863, and was approved and ratified April 6th, 1863.

The *twenty-seventh* Article was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1876 and 1877, and was approved and ratified by the people on the 6th day of November, 1877.

The *twenty-eighth* Article was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1880 and 1881, and was approved and ratified by the people on the 8th day of November, 1881.

The *twenty-ninth* Article was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1884 and 1885, and was approved and ratified by the people on the 3d day of November, 1885.

The *thirtieth* and *thirty-first* Articles of Amendment were adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1889 and 1890, and were approved and ratified by the people on the 4th day of November, 1890.

The *thirty-second* and *thirty-third* Articles of Amendment were adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1890 and 1891, and were approved and ratified by the people on the 3d day of November, 1891.

The *thirty-fourth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1891 and 1892, and was approved and ratified by the people on the 8th day of November, 1892.

The *thirty-fifth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1892 and 1893, and was approved and ratified by the people on the 7th day of November, 1893.

The *thirty-sixth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1893 and 1894, and was approved and ratified by the people on the 6th day of November, 1894.]

## ELECTIONS FOR SENATORS IN CONGRESS.

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[Sections 14 to 19, Revised Statutes of the United States.]

SECT. 14. The legislature of each State which is chosen next preceding the expiration of the time for which any Senator was elected to represent such State in Congress shall, on the second Tuesday after the meeting and organization thereof, proceed to elect a Senator in Congress.

SECT. 15. Such election shall be conducted in the following manner: Each house shall openly, by a *viva voce* vote of each member present, name one person for Senator in Congress from such State, and the name of the person so voted for, who receives a majority of the whole number of votes cast in each house, shall be entered on the journal of that house by the clerk or secretary thereof; or if either house fails to give such majority to any person on that day, the fact shall be entered on the journal. At twelve o'clock meridian of the day following that on which proceedings are required to take place as aforesaid, the members of the two houses shall convene in joint assembly, and the journal of each house shall then be read, and if the same person has received a majority of all the votes in each house, he shall be declared duly elected Senator. But if the same person has not received a majority of the votes in each house, or if either house has failed to take proceedings as required by this section, the joint assembly shall then proceed to choose, by a *viva voce* vote of each member present, a person for Senator, and the person who receives a majority of all the votes of the joint assembly, a majority of all the members elected to both houses being present and voting, shall be declared duly elected. If no person receives such majority on the

first day, the joint assembly shall meet at twelve o'clock meridian of each succeeding day during the session of the legislature, and shall take at least one vote, until a Senator is elected.

**SECT. 16.** Whenever on the meeting of the legislature of any State a vacancy exists in the representation of such State in the Senate, the legislature shall proceed, on the second Tuesday after meeting and organization, to elect a person to fill such vacancy, in the manner prescribed in the preceding section for the election of a Senator for a full term.

**SECT. 17.** Whenever during the session of the legislature of any State a vacancy occurs in the representation of such State in the Senate, similar proceedings to fill such vacancy shall be had on the second Tuesday after the legislature has organized and has notice of such vacancy.

**SECT. 18.** It shall be the duty of the executive of the State from which any Senator has been chosen, to certify his election, under the seal of the State, to the President of the Senate of the United States.

**SECT. 19.** The certificate mentioned in the preceding section shall be countersigned by the secretary of state of the State.



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# STATISTICS.

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**HISTORICAL, STATE, COUNTY, DISTRICT,  
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## COUNTIES, CITIES, AND TOWNS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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"Towns . . . became in effect municipal or quasi corporations, without any formal act of incorporation." (122 Mass. p. 349.)

August 23, 1775. "Every incorporated district 'shall henceforth be, and shall be holden, taken, and intended to be, a town to all intents and purposes whatsoever.'" (Prov. Laws, Vol. V., p. 420.)

March 23, 1786. "The inhabitants of every town within this government are hereby declared to be a body politic and corporate." (Acts 1785, chap. 75.)

Nov. 4, 1835. "All places now incorporated as districts, except the district of Marshpee, in the county of Barnstable, shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties to which towns are entitled by the provisions of this chapter." (R. S. chap. 15, sec. 9.)

The asterisk (\*) following a date signifies that it is Old Style.

Many of the doings of the court are given in different volumes of the early records under different dates, usually, however, in the same year. The earliest date is given in these tables. The dates that appear in the columns headed "First mentioned in the records of the State," etc., are those under which the several names as there given first appear in the records of the Colonies, Province, or State, although settlements under the same or different names might have been earlier made.

Names of cities are printed in SMALL CAPITALS; of extinct cities, towns, and districts, in *italics*.

# COUNTIES, CITIES, AND TOWNS OF MASSACHUSETTS

BARNSTABLE COUNTY. INCORPORATED JUNE 2, 1686.

Change of Boundary,  
action, etc.

de between Bourne and  
Larwich annexed. April  
. 20, 1881 bounds between  
ounds between Chatham  
h established.

June 19, 1798	Part of Yarmouth.	
June 7,* 1851		
Sept. 14,* 1894		orted. Mar. 17, of Mashpee an- h and Sandwich Falmouth and
Sept. 14,* 1894		
Mar. 31, 1894	P	land formerly outh. April 1, part annexed abolished and
June 14, 1763	Common land called Mashpee. Act of June 14, 1763 revived, to be in force until July 1, 1770. Nov. 15, 1770 the act again re-	

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BARNSTABLE COUNTY—Continued.

Orleans, . . . .	Mar. 3, 1797		
Provincetown, . . . .	June 14,* 1727		
Sandwich, . . . .	Mar. 3,* 1636		
Suckanesset, . . . .	June 7,* 1670		Bounds mentioned. July 7,* 1681 bounds and Sandwich established. June 4,* 1686, privileges of a town. Name changed to recorded.

annexed and  
2, 1828 part of  
Mar. 30, 1836

[See page 98.]

## BARNSTABLE COUNTY — Concluded.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
		<p>t of Wellfleet. Aug. ral act. Feb. 22, 1887 tablished. April 26, 1887 bounds between established.</p> <p>17,* 1841 bounds be- shed. Mar. 11,* 1888 ounds. June 19, 1793</p>

**BERKSHIRE COUNTY. INCORPORATED APRIL 21, 1761.**

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- c. April 10, 1780 the plantation
- d. Mar. 14, 1798 part included
- April 16, 1878 part established as

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The North Eleven Thousand Acres. June 12, 1809 district of Bethlehem and the town of London united as the town of London. Mar. 1, 1810 act of June 19, 1809 took effect.

Common land. Mar. 12, 1847 bounds between the district of Boston Corner and Mount Washington established. May 14, 1853 ceded to the State of New York.

Parts of Adams, Lanesborough, Windsor, and the district of New Ashford. Feb. 6, 1798 part of the district of New Ashford annexed.

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BERKSHIRE COUNTY — *Continued.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Clarksburg, . . .	Mar. 2, 1798	Common land. May 2, 1848 part annexed to Florida. May 20, 1882 part annexed to Clarksburg.
Dalton, . . .	Mar. 20, 1784	The new plantation of Ashuelot Equivalent. Feb. 28, 1798 part of Windsor annexed. June 21, 1804 part included in the new town of Partridgefield.
Egremont, . . .	Feb. 13, 1760	C4 Aug. 23, 1790 Feb. 22, between rt of each Sheffield Sheffield
Florida, . . .	June 15, 1805	Barnardstone's Grant and part of Bullock's Grant. May 2, 1848 part of Clarksburg annexed. May 20, 1853 part annexed to Clarksburg.
Gagedorrough, . . .	July 4, 1771	The new plantation called Number Four. Oct. 16, 1778 part of the plantation called Number Five annexed, and the town of Gagedorrough, together with this annexed tract of land, to be a town by the name of Windsor.



Great Barrington, . . .	June 30, 1761	Part of Sheffield. Feb. 16, 1778 part included in the new district of Alford. Feb. 16, 1778 lands adjoining annexed. Oct. 21, 1777 part included in the new town of Lee. Feb. 11, 1778 part annexed to Alford. Feb. 16, 1819 part annexed to Alford.
Hancock, . . .	July 2, 1776	71 2, 1798 part annexed to the 1861 bounds between Han-
Hinsdale, . . .	June 21, 1804	Parts of Partridgefield and Dalton.
Lanesborough, . . .	June 21, 1766	The plantation of New Framingham. Mar. 14, 1798 part included in the new town of Cheshire.
Lee, . . .	Oct. 21, 1777	Parts of G Grant, an tween Le tween Le ngton, the Glass Works Mar. 7, 1808 bounds be- Feb. 7, 1820 bounds be-
Lenox, . . .	Feb. 26, 1767	annexed. Aug. x. Jan. 31, 1786 of Washington and Lee estab- and Lee estab-
London, . . .	Feb. 27, 1778	used. Common land called 'don and the district Mar. 1, 1810 the act annexed to Becket.

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The plantation called New Marlborough established as the dis-  
trict of New Marlborough. Aug. 23, 1776 the district made a  
town by general act. June 19, 1793 part of Sheffield annexed.  
Feb. 7, 1798 part of Sheffield annexed. Feb. 27, 1811 part of

NORTH ADAMS,	.	.	April 16, 1878	Tyringham annexed. Feb. 11, 1812 part annexed to Tyringham. May 24, 1861 part annexed to Monterey. April 19, 1871 part of Sheffield annexed and bounds established.
Otis,	.	.	June 13, 1810	Part of Adams. Mar. 22, 1896 North Adams incorporated as a city. April 8, 1895 act of incorporation accepted by the town. April 25, 1900 bounds between North Adams and Williamstown established and part of Williamstown annexed.
Partridgefield,	.	.	July 4, 1771	Name changed from Loudon. April 9, 1838 part of the common lands called East Eleven Thousand Acres annexed. called Number Two. Mar. 12, 1783 part town of Middlefield. June 21, 1804 part town of Hinsdale. June 19, 1806 name
Peru,	.	.	June 12, 1806	Name changed from Partridgefield.
PITTSFIELD,	.	.	April 21, 1761	The plantation called Pontoonuck. June 5, 1889 Pittsfield incorporated as a city. Feb. 11, 1890 act of incorporation accepted by the town.
Richmond,	.	.	Mar. 3, 1785	Name changed from Elchmont. Mar. 27, 1884 bounds between Richmond and West Stockbridge established.
Richmont,	.	.	June 21, 1765	Town and Mount Ephraim. e district of Lenox. Mar. 3,
Sandisfield,	.	.	Mar. 6, 1763	The district town of Sandisfield. Feb. 10, 1819 the district and the town of Sandisfield united as the town of Sandisfield. April 9, 1888 part of the common lands

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Tyringham, . . .	Mar. 6, 1783	The new plantation called Number One. Feb. 27, 1811 part annexed to New Marlborough. Feb. 11, 1813 part of New Marlborough annexed. April 12, 1847 part established as Monterey.
Washington, . . .	April 12, 1777	The plantation called Hartwood and several contiguous grants. Oct. 31, 1777 part included in the new town of Lee. Mar. 12, 1783 part included in the new town of Middlefield. Jan. 31, 1786 part annexed to Lenox. Feb. 18, 1803 part annexed to Lenox.
West Stockbridge, . . .	Mar. 9, 1774	Part of West Stock- town by general annexed. Mar. 2, 30 the act of Mar. ween West Stock- 1847 part annexed to Alford.
Williamstown, . . .	June 31, 1765	The plantation called West Hosenuck. April 9, 1838 certain unin- corporated lands annexed. April 25, 1800 bounds between Williamstown and North Adams established and part annexed to North Adams.
Windoor, . . .	Oct. 16, 1778	The town of Gageborough and certain annexed lands. Mar. 14, 1793 part included in the new town of Cheshire. Feb. 28, 1794 part of Cheshire re-annexed. Feb. 28, 1795 part annexed to Dalton.

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CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Acushnet, . . . .	Feb. 16, 1860	Part of Fairhaven. April 9, 1876 part annexed to New Bedford.
Attleborough, . . . .	Oct. 19,* 1894	P
Berkley, . . . .	April 18,* 1786	Parts of Dighton and Taunton. Feb. 26, 1799 part of Dighton annexed. Feb. 6, 1810 certain lands in Berkley belonging to Taunton annexed. Mar. 8, 1842 certain lands in Berkley belonging to Taunton annexed. April 1, 1878 part of Taunton annexed. April 12, 1879 act of April 1, 1879 accepted by the town.
Dartmouth, . . . .	Oct. 5,* 1653	Common land. June 8,* 1864 the tract of land called Acushena, Ponagansett, and Coaksett established as Dartmouth. June 8,* 1868 bounds establish New Bedford. July 2, 1726, 1788 part annexed to

Dighton,	.	.	.	May 30,* 1713	to Westport. 1828 bounds Feb. 19, 1831 established. May 3, 1838 p4	Feb. 20, abolished. Bedford Bedford.
Easton,	.	.	.	Dec. 21,* 1725	Part of the land in Norton called the Taunton North Purchase.	
Fairhaven,	.	.	.	Feb. 22, 1812	Part of New Bedford. June 15, 1815 part of Freetown annexed. April 9, 1836 part of Rochester annexed and bounds established. Feb. 13, 1880 part established as Acushnet.	
FALL RIVER,	.	.	.	Feb. 26, 1803	P	

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Freetown, . . . . .	July 7, 1688	Common land called Freeman's land. June 17,* 1700 bounds between Freetown and Tiverton established. Feb. 26, 1808 part established as Fall River. June 16, 1815 part annexed to Fairhaven.
Mansfield, . . . . .	April 26, 1770	Part of Norton made the district of Mansfield. Aug. 28, 1775 the district made a town by general act.
NEW BEDFORD, . . . . .	Feb. 23, 1787	
North Attleborough, . . . . .	June 14, 1837	Part of by the the 1837 act of June 14, 1837 accepted Mar. 6, 1838 the acceptance of
Norton, . . . . .	Mar. 17,* 1710	Part of Taunton. June 12,* 1711 bill to perfect the grant passed. Dec. 21,* 1725 part established as Easton. Dec. 25, 1703 part of Stoughton annexed. April 28, 1770 part established as the district of Mansfield.
Raynham, . . . . .	April 2,* 1731	Part of Taunton. Feb. 27, 1686 bounds between Raynham and Taunton established.



Part of Swansea called Shewamset Purchase. April 4, 1854 part  
of Dighton annexed.

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is changed from Fall River. Feb. 12, 1834 name changed to  
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of Dighton. Feb. 12, 1824 bounds between Dighton and  
Wellington established and part of Dighton annexed. Feb. 22,  
1836 Wellington and Dighton united as the town of Dighton.  
June 16, 1837 Wellington revived to exist one year.

Westport, . . . . .	July 3, 1787	Pt
COUNTY OF DUKES COUNTY. INCORPORATED JUNE 22, 1685.		
Chilmark, . . . . .	Sept. 14,* 1694	C
Cottage City, . . . . .	Feb. 17, 1680	Part of Edgartown.

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Part of Chilmack known as the Elizabeth Islands.

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ESSEX COUNTY. INCORPORATED MAY 10, 1643.

May 27,* 1663	N	Just and of Salla- 1676 part Salisbury
May 6,* 1646	C	
Nov. 7,* 1663		1679 bounds between 11, 1753 part of Salem to Danvers. Mar. 23, by 1, 1804 act of incor.
Sept. 14,* 1694		

† "The said Towne being formerly known by the name of the Great Harboure." — New York Book of Patents, Vol. 4, p. 76.

‡ "A township formerly known as Middletowne." — New York Book of Patents, Vol. 4, p. 77.

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Beverly annexed.

Part of Ipswich. April 19, 1892 boundary lines in tide-water between Essex and Gloucester, and Essex and Ipswich established. Mar. 19, 1894 bounds between Essex and Hamilton established.

Part of Rowley. April 15, 1897 part of Boxford annexed. April 22, 1904 bounds between Georgetown and Boxford established.

Part of Bradford. Mar. 21, 1898 part of Boxford annexed. April 22, 1904 bounds between Groveland and West Newbury established.

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LAWRENCE,	.	.	.	April 17, 1847	Parts of Andover and Methuen. Mar. 21, 1853 Lawrence incorporated as a city. Mar. 23, 1853 act of incorporation accepted by the town. April 4, 1854 part of Methuen annexed. Feb. 4, 1879 parts of Andover and North Andover annexed.
LYNN,	.	.	.	Nov. 20,* 1637	
Lynnfield,	.	.	.	July 3, 1782	P
Manchester,	.	.	.	May 14,* 1643	* 1672 bounds May 6, 1902 established. the Supreme

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Marblehead, . . .	July 2,* 1633	Part of Salem called Marble Harbor. May 6,* 1635 a plantation established at Marblehead. May 2,* 1649 Marblehead established as a town.
Merrimac, . . .	April 11, 1873	Part of Amesbury.
Methuen, . . .	Dec. 8,* 1725	Part of Haverhill and certain common lands. April 17, 1847 part included in the new town of Lawrence. April 4, 1854 part annexed to Lawrence.
Middleton, . . .	June 20,* 1736	Middletown, Salem, and Topsfield. April 23, 1847 Middletown and North Andover established between Middletown and Boxford
Nahant, . . .	Mar. 29, 1858	Part of Lynn.
Newbury, . . .	May 6,* 1635	

Part of Newbury. April 17, 1851 part of Newbury annexed.  
May 24, 1851 Newburyport incorporated as a city. June 3, 1851  
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Part of Newbury. June 14, 1880 name changed to West Newbury.

Name changed from South Danvers. April 30, 1888 act of April  
18, 1888 accepted by the town. Mar. 27, 1889 part annexed to  
Salem.

Part of Gloucester.

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CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
SALEM, . . . .	Aug. 23, 1630	
Salisbury, . . . .	Oct. 7, 1640	

Granted the privileges of a town. May 15,\* 1667 bounds between Salisbury new town and Haverhill established. May 26,\* 1668 "Salisbury newtown . . . may be named Emesbury."

The plantation of Saugus. Mar. 4,\* 1635 bounds between Saugus and Salem, and between Saugus and Marble Harbor to be established. Nov. 20,\* 1637 name changed to Lynn.

Part of Lynn. Feb. 22, 1941 part of Chelsea annexed. May 17, 1901 bounds between Saugus and Lynnfield established.

Part of Danvers. April and Salem established other place. May 31, 1  
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Part of Lynn. April 3, 1867 part of Salem annexed.

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## FRANKLIN COUNTY. INCORPORATED JUNE 24, 1811.

Ashfield, . . .	June 31, 1788	The new plantation called Huntstown.	1778 part annexed
Bernardston, . . .	Mar. 6, 1762	T	as the district of annexed. May 7, accepted by Ber. accepted.
Buckland, . . .	April 14, 1779	The plantation called No-town, and part of Charlemont. April 14, 1838 part of Conway annexed.	
Charlemont, . . .	June 21, 1765	The new plantation called Charlemont. April 14, 1779 part included in the new town of Buckland. Feb. 14, 1785 part	

Colrain,	. . . . .	June 30, 1761	T	Feb. 27, 1841 bounds Feb. 16, 1860 part of
Conway,	. . . . .	June 17, 1767		
Deerfield,	. . . . .	Oct. 22,* 1677		
Erving,	. . . . .	April 17, 1838		
Gill,	. . . . .	Sept. 28, 1798		

Included in the new town of Heath. Mar. 19, 1793 certain common lands between Charlemont and North River annexed. April 8, 1838 part of the common lands called Zoar annexed.

The new plantation of Colrain. Dec. 2, 1779 part of Bernardston annexed.

Part of Greenfield. Feb. 28, 1795 part of Northfield annexed. Mar. 14, 1805 the island called Great Island annexed after April 1, 1805.

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New Salem,	.	.	.	June 15, 1783	T	al grant made to New Salem. Aug. act. Jan. 28, 1822 Feb. 20, 1824 part annexed to Athol. d to Orange and
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Northfield,	.	.	.	Feb. 22,* 1714		
Orange,	.	.	.	Oct. 15, 1783		
Rowe,	.	.	.	Feb. 9, 1785		The common lands called Myrfield and lands adjoining. Feb. 21, 1823 part of Rowe and certain common lands established as Monroe. April 2, 1838 part of the common lands called Zoar annexed.

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HAMPDEN COUNTY. INCORPORATED FEB. 26, 1812.

Agawam, . . . . .	May 17, 1835	Part of West Springfield.
Blandford, . . . . .	April 10,* 1741	
Brimfield, . . . . .	June 10,* 1714	Common land. Dec. 24,* 1742 part included in the part annexed to Palmer. district of Monson. Sept. 1841 district of South Brimfield. lished.
Chester, . . . . .	Feb. 21, 1788	
CHICOPPEE, . . . . .	April 20, 1848	Part of Springfield. April 18, 1880 Chicopee incorporated as a city. May 6, 1880 act of incorporation accepted by the town.
East Longmeadow, . . . . .	May 12, 1894	Part of Longmeadow. July 1, 1894 act took effect.
Granville, . . . . .	Jan. 26, 1784	lished as the district of Granville. made a town by general act. Toland.

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TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Hampden, . . . .	Mar. 28, 1876	Part of Wilbraham.
Holland, . . . .	July 5, 1783	Part of Feb Briv the Established as the district of Holland. in the district of Holland and South r. 4, 1828 the district made a town by of the Revised Statutes.
HOLYOKE, . . . .	Mar. 14, 1850	Part of West Springfield. April 7, 1878 Holyoke incorporated as a city. May 29, 1873 act of incorporation accepted by the town.
Longmeadow, . . . .	Oct. 13, 1788	Part of Springfield called Longmeadow. Nov. 10, 1787 certain common lands called the Gore annexed. June 2, 1820 part annexed to Springfield. July 1, 1884 part of Longmeadow established as East Longmeadow.
Ludlow, . . . .	Feb. 28, 1774	Part of Springfield called Stony Hill established as the district of Ludlow. Aug. 23, 1775 the district made a town by general act. June 6, 1880 bounds between Ludlow and Springfield established.
Monson, . . . .	April 29, 1760	Part of Brimfield established as the district of Monson. Feb. 7, 1763 bounds definitely established. Aug. 28, 1775 the district made a town by general act. Feb. 8, 1828 bounds between Mon- son and Palmer established.

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Montgomery, . . .	Nov. 28, 1780	Parts of Westfield, Norwich, and Southampton. Feb. 25, 1793 part included in the new town of Russell. Mar. 6, 1798 parts of Norwich and Southampton annexed.
Murrayfield, . . .	Oct. 31, 1786	June 28, 1773 part estab. Mar. 8, 1781 part annexed to Chester.
Palmer, . . .	Jan. 30,* 1752	district Feb. 7, district between Western
Russell, . . .	Feb. 25, 1792	Parts of Westfield and Montgomery. Feb. 22, 1809 bounds between Blandford and Russell established.
South Brimfield, . . .	Sept. 16, 1782	
Southwick, . . .	Nov. 7, 1770	be district of Southwick. ann by general act. Oct. 6, Mar. 20, 1837 bounds between d.

\* Sometimes called New Marlborough and sometimes Kingsfield.

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t of Granville. May 4, 1858 bounds between Tolland and  
ndisfield established. May 15, 1856 bounds between Tolland  
d Sandisfield established.

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een Westfield and Springfield established. June 4,\* 1701 a strip

West Springfield.	Feb. 23, 1774	of common land Feb. 23, 1773 laid lished as the di to Southwick. Montgomery. Russell. Mar. 1 20, 1837 bounde	ar. 3, 1802 part of Westfield annexed. blished as Holyoke. May 17, 1856 part n.
Willbraham,	June 15, 1763	Part of Springfield. June 11, 1790 part of Springfield called The Elbowe annexed. Mar. 28, 1878 part of Willbraham established as Hampden.	

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Chesterfield, . . .	June 11, 1762	T
Cummington, . . .	June 23, 1779	Part of the plantation called Number Five. Mar. 16, 1785 part established as the district of Plainfield. Mar. 21, 1788 certain common lands, called Murrayfield Grant and Minot's Grant, and a gove of 2,200 acres annexed. Feb. 4, 1794 part annexed to Plainfield.
Easthampton, . . .	June 17, 1785	



Parts of Belchertown and Greenwich. June 12, 1818 bounds between Enfield and Greenwich established and part of each town annexed to the other town.

Enfield,	.	.	.	.
Goshen,	.	.	.	.
Granby,	.	.	.	.
Greenwich,	.	.	.	.
Hadley,	.	.	.	.

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CITIES AND TOWNS.	When mentioned		What Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Hadley — Con. . . . .			
Hatfield, . . . . .			
Huntington, . . . . .	Mar. 9, 1885	Name changed from Norwich.	
Middlefield, . . . . .	Mar. 12, 1788	Parts of Becket, Chester, Partridgefield, Washington, and Wor- thington, and the common lands called Prescott's Grant.	

NORTHAMPTON,	.	May 14,* 1856	
Norwich,	.	June 29, 1773	
Pelham,	.	Jan. 15,* 1743	Common land called New Lisburne. June 16, 1738 part of Belchertown annexed. Jan. 28, 1822 part included in the new town of Prescott.
Plainfield,	.	Mar. 16, 1786	Part of Cummington established as the district of Plainfield. Feb. 4, 1794 part of Cummington annexed to the district of Plainfield. June 21, 1803 part of Hawley annexed to the district of Plainfield. June 16, 1867 the district made a town.
Prescott,	.	Jan. 29, 1823	Parts of Pelham and New Salem.
Southampton,	.	Jan. 5, 1753	Part of Northampton established as the district of Southampton. Aug. 23, 1776 the district made a town by general act. Sept.

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Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.

of Northampton. Mar. 12, 1872 bounds between Westhampton,  
d Easthampton, Northampton, and Southampton established.

Williamsburg, . . .	April 24, 1771	P
Worthington, . . .	June 30, 1763	The new plantation called Number Three. Mar. 12, 1783 part included in the new town of Middlefield. June 21, 1789 part of Chester annexed.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY. INCORPORATED MAY 10, 1643.

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ec. 11,\* 1747 bounds  
April 28, 1780 part  
Name changed from West Cambridge. April 30, 1867 the act took effect.  
Parts of Ashburnham, Fitchburg, and Townsend. Nov. 16, 1792 part of Ashburnham annexed. Mar. 3, 1833 part of Fitchburg annexed.

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Part of Woburn. Jan. 20, 1800 part annexed to Lexington.

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Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.

Part of Concord. Oct. 6, 1755 the district annexed to Concord.

Parts of Acton, Billerica, Chelmsford, and Concord established  
as the district of Carlisle. Sept. 12, 1790 part of the district of



Carlisle annexed to Concord. Mar. 1, 1783 part of the district  
of Carlisle annexed to Chelmsford. Feb. 18, 1805 the district  
made a town. Feb. 17, 1855 part of Chelmsford annexed to  
Carlisle. May 28, 1803 bounds between  
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Sept. 12, 1786 part of the district of Carlisle annexed. May 23, 1908 bounds between Concord and Carlisle established.

Common land. Feb. 29, 1861 part annexed to Lowell. May 18, 1874 part annexed to Lowell. June 23, 1874 the act accepted by Lowell. Aug. 1, 1874 the act took effect. April 1, 1879 part annexed to Lowell.

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Part of Sudbury. Mar. 11, 1886 name changed to Wayland.

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TOWNS AND CITIES.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Framingham — Con. . .	Oct. 13,* 1676	
Groton, . . .	May 23,* 1656	
Holliston, . . .	Dec. 3,* 1724	Part of Sherborn. Dec. 22,* 1724 Hopkinton established. April next. Mar. 3, 1829 part of established. Feb. 11, 1833

Mar. 27, 1835 part annexed to Milford and bounds between Holliston, Hopkinton, and Milford established. Mar. 16, 1846 part included in the new town of Ashland. April 1, 1859 bounds between Holliston and Milford established.

Hopkinton, . . . . Dec. 12,\* 1715

erect.

Hudson, . . . . Mar. 19, 1836

Parts of Marlborough and Stow. Mar. 20, 1868 part of Bolton annexed. May 1, 1906 bounds between Hudson and Berlin established. May 24, 1806 bounds between Hudson and Stow established.

Lexington, . . . . Mar. 20,\* 1713

The North Precinct in the new town of Bedford Jan 1868 bounds by April 4, 1806 bounds defined.

Lincoln, . . . . April 19, 1764

Parts of Concord, Lexington, and Weston. Feb. 28, 1836 bounds between Lincoln and Lexington established.

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Littleton, . . . .	Dec. 3,* 1715	C
LOWELL, . . . .	Mar. 1, 1826	between Littleton and Boxborough established. Part of Chelmsford. Mar. 20, 1884 part of Tewksbury annexed.
MALDEN, . . . .	May 2,* 1649	

1877 part of Medford annexed. Feb. 20, 1878 bounds between Malden and Medford established. Mar. 31, 1881 Malden incorporated as a city. June 9, 1881 act of incorporation accepted by the town.

MARLBOROUGH, . . . May 31,\* 1880 C

Maynard, . . . April 19, 1871 Parts of Sudbury and Stow.

MEDFORD, . . . Sept. 28,\* 1880

† Afterward Littleton.

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CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
MELROSE, . . . .	May 3, 1830	Part of M 27, 1836 defined 1838 act bounds lished.
Natick, . . . .	Oct. 14,* 1651	
NEWTON, . . . .	Dec. 15,* 1691	The town of Cambridge Village, sometimes called Little Cam- bridge. June 21, 1803 an island in Charles River annexed. April 23, 1808 part annexed to Roxbury. April 16, 1849 part annexed to Waltham. June 2, 1873 Newton incorporated as a



city. Oct. 13, 1878 act of incorporation accepted by the town. May 28, 1874 bounds between Newton and Boston established. May 6, 1876 part of Boston annexed. June 23, 1875 the act accepted by Newton. July 1, 1875 the act took effect. Mar. 28, 1888 bounds between Newton and Boston established. May 13, 1898 bounds between Newton and Boston established.

Common land. May and Newtowne " & Newtowne and Ws bury established.

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The second precinct of Groton made the district of "Pepper-rell." Aug. 23, 1775 the district made a town by general act. Feb. 8, 1806 part annexed to Groton. May 18, 1867 part of Groton annexed.

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**MIDDLESEX COUNTY -- Continued.**

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SOMERVILLE, . . .	Mar. 3, 1842	P	
South Reading, . . .	Feb. 25, 1812		Part of Reading. June 18, 1813 part annexed to Reading. April 5, 1836 part of Stoneham annexed. Feb. 25, 1868 name changed to Wakefield. June 30, 1868 the act took effect.
Stoneham, . . .	Dec. 17,* 1725		
Stow, . . .	May 16,* 1683	T	

† See the extinct town of Sherburne. The spelling of the town name is given in each instance as found in the records. [See page 93.]

## MIDDLESEX COUNTY — Continued.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Sudbury, . . .	Sept. 4,* 1639	
Tewksbury, . . .	Dec. 17,* 1734	not ad to over
Townsend, . . .	June 29,* 1732	The north part of Turkey Hill. Mar. 6, 1767 part included in the new town of Ashby.
Tyngsborough, . . .	June 22, 1739	
Wakefield, . . .	Feb. 26, 1868	Tyngsborough and Dunstable established. Name changed from South Reading. June 30, 1868 the act took effect. April 2, 1870 bounds between Wakefield and Lynnfield

established. Mar. 13, 1889 part of Stoneham annexed. May 9, 1906 bounds between Wakefield and Melrose changed and established.

Jan. 4,\* 1738

Sept. 7,\* 1690 "

Mar. 11, 1885

Name changed from East Sudbury. April 26, 1860 bounds between Wayland and Natick established.

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MIDDLESEX COUNTY — *Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.		Extent mentioned	of Boundary, etc.
<i>West Cambridge,</i>	.	.	Westtown annexed. Town of Winchester. of Belmont. Jan. and Belmont estab- lished. April 18, 1867 the act took
<i>Westford,</i>	.	.	Not annexed.
<i>Weston,</i>	.	.	1784 part included in bounds between
<i>Wilmington,</i>	.	.	is part of Billerica in Wilmington and Billerica
<i>Winchester,</i>	.	April 30, 1830	Parts of Medford, West Cambridge, and Woburn. May 12, 1873 part annexed to Woburn.
<i>WOBURN,</i>	.	Sept. 27,* 1642	Woburn area of Woburn in Woburn included in

**NANTUCKET COUNTY. INCORPORATED JUNE 22, 1636.**

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June 8, 1736 name

**NORFOLK COUNTY. INCORPORATED MARCH 26, 1736.**

Avon, . . . . .	Feb. 21, 1838	Part of Stoughton. April 16, 1838 parts of Holbrook and Randolph annexed.	
Bellingham, . . . . .	Nov. 27,* 1719		bounds 7, 1873

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## NORFOLK COUNTY — Continued.

From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary,  
Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.

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Part of Stoughton. Mar. 31, 1847 part annexed to Stoughton.  
Mar. 24, 1889 bounds between Canton and Sharon established.

Part of Hingham established as the district of Cobasset. Aug.  
23, 1775 the district made a town by general act. June 14, 1833  
part of Scituate annexed. Mar. 30, 1840 bounds between Co-



nd Soltuate established and part of each town annexed  
ther town. April 30, 1897 bounds between Cohasset,  
n, and Soltuate established.

Sept. 8, 1686

Dedham, . . . . .

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## NORFOLK COUNTY -- Continued.

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From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary,  
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Part of Dedham established as the district of Dover. Mar. 7,  
1791 bounds between the district of Dover and Dedham estab-  
lished. Mar. 31, 1836 the district made a town. May 2, 1836 the  
act accepted by the district. Feb. 27, 1872 bounds between

Foxborough, . . .	June 10, 1778	Dover and Walpole established. May 27, 1803 bounds between Dover and Medfield established. Mar. 12, 1804 bounds between Dover and Walpole established.
Franklin, . . .	Mar. 2, 1778	
Holbrook, . . .	Feb. 29, 1873	Part of Randolph. April 16, 1889 part annexed to Avon. Mar. 11, 1903 bounds between Holbrook and Braintree established.
Hyde Park, . . .	April 22, 1883	Parts of Dedham amended and Hyde Park as
Medfield, . . .	May 22,* 1880	granted the privileges to Medfield. Oct. 24,* of 27, 1886 bounds between Walpole established.

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## NORFOLK COUNTY -- Continued.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Medway, . . . .	Oct. 24,* 1713	P
Mills, . . . .	Feb. 24, 1885	Part of Medway.
Milton, . . . .	May 7,* 1882	P
Needham, . . . .	Nov. 5,* 1711	<p>1,* 1712 Blue ec. April 22, May 1, 1885 April 18, 1885 and part of edham and in Needham annexed to and Natick other town.</p>

Parts of Franklin, Medway, Walpole, and Wrentham. April 19, 1871 bounds between Norfolk and Wrentham established. May 28, 1803 bounds between Norfolk and Foxborough established. May 27, 1808 bounds between Norfolk and Medfield established.

Parts of Dedham and Walpole.

Part of Wrentham.

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town.

Part of Braintree. June 22, 1811 certain estates in Braintree re-annexed. Mar. 31, 1861 bounds between Randolph and Abington established. Feb. 22, 1873 part established as Holbrook. April 16, 1889 part annexed to Avon.

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granted  
Roxbury

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other town May 1, 1847 part annexed to Walpole. Feb. 26, 1850 part annexed to Foxborough. Mar. 26, 1864 part of Stoughton annexed. Mar. 24, 1889 bounds between Sharon and Canton established.

Stoughton, . . . .

Stoughtonham, . . . .

Part of Stoughton established as the district of Stoughtonham. Aug. 23, 1776 the district made a town by general act. June 10, 1778 part included in the new town of Foxborough. Feb. 25, 1783 name changed to Sharon.

Walpole, . . . .

**NORFOLK COUNTY — Continued.**

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Part of Stoughton established as the district of Stoughtonham. Aug. 23, 1775 the district made a town by general act. June 10, 1778 part included in the new town of Foxborough. Feb. 25, 1783 name changed to Sharon.

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June 10, 1778 part included in the new  
Feb. 23, 1804 part of Sharon annexed.

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NORFOLK COUNTY — *Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Walpole.—Con. . . .	Dec. 10,* 1724	
Wellesley, . . . .	April 6, 1831	Part of Needham.
West Roxbury, . . . .	May 24, 1851	P
Westwood, . . . .	April 2, 1897	Part of Dedham.

PLYMOUTH COUNTY. INCORPORATED JUNE 2, 1686.

Abington, . . . .	June 10,* 1712	part included in the new town of South Abington.  Part of Duxbury called the New Plantation. June 3,* 1692 certain lands granted to Bridgewater. Feb. 11,* 1691 lands between Bridgewater and Weymouth, called Foord's Farms, and
Bridgewater, . . . .	June 3,* 1656	

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## PLYMOUTH COUNTY — Continued.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Bridgewater — Con. . .	June 3, 1686	
BROCKTON, . . .	Mar. 28, 1874	
Carver, . . .	June 9, 1790	1798 bounds between Carver and a. 20, 1827 part annexed to Ware- a between Carver and Middlebor. 1801 bounds between Carver and

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## PLYMOUTH COUNTY — Continued.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Hanson,	Feb. 22, 1820	Part of Pembroke. April 2, 1803 bounds between Hanson and Pembroke established.
Hingham,	Sept. 2,* 1635	Common Hingham Conhas lished a tween bounds established.  ounds between 2,* 1640 land at 170 part estab- lished bounds be- April 30, 1837 l, and Scituate
Hull,	May 29,* 1644	The plantation called "Nantasoot." May 28,* 1647 Hull is mentioned as a town. June 12,* 1653 Brewster Islands granted to Hull.
Kingston,	June 16,* 1728	Part of Plymouth. April 14, 1837 part of Duxbury annexed.
Lakeville,	May 13, 1833	Part of Middleborough. June 1, 1837 bounds between Lakeville and Taunton established.
Marion,	May 14, 1832	P  ween Marion and between Marion bounds between 28, 1837 bounds

ame changed from Raxhame though not recorded. Mar. 7,\*  
1643 bounds established. Mar. 5,\* 1661 certain lands granted  
to Marshfield and Duxbury. Feb. 23,\* 1688 bounds between  
Marshfield 21,\* 1712 part  
included in 8, 1782 bounds  
between Marshfield and Scituate established. Mar. 10, 1788  
part of Scituate annexed. June 14, 1813 bounds between  
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Bridgewater established. Mar. 23,  
be changed. May 5, 1874 Brockton

outh Scituate authorized to change its name. Mar. 5, 1888  
Norwell adopted as the name. April 30, 1887 bounds between  
Norwell and Hingham established.

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## PLYMOUTH COUNTY — Continued.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc
Pembroke—Con.	Mar. 21,* 1712	
Plymouth, . . . .	—, 1620	Common la June 7,* establishe June 18,* included nexed to
Plympton, . . . .	June 4,* 1707	
Rexhame, . . . .	Mar. 2,* 1641	Common land called Green's Harbour. Mar. 2,* 1641 Rexhame is in the list of places for which constables were chosen. June 1,* 1641 Rexhame is mentioned in a list of towns; the name then disappears from the records, and the town afterward became Marshfield.



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Part of Abington. Mar. 23, 1878 bounds between Rockland and Hanover established and part of each town annexed to the other town.

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April 24, 1875 part  
annexed. Mar. 5,  
its name. May 2,

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PLYMOUTH COUNTY — *Concluded.*

First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Establish- ment or Incorporated, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Feb. 14, 1849	Part of § and Ha. . . . . Scituate and Hanover established an nexus to the other town. Feb 27, 188 ized to change its name. Mar. 5, 1888 name changed to Norwell.
July 10,* 1789	
Feb 16, 1822	
Mar. 5, 1886	Wm. . . . . South Abington authorized to change its name. May 8, 1886 name changed to Whitman.

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SUFFOLK COUNTY. INCORPORATED MAY 10, 1645.

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SUFFOLK COUNTY — *Concluded.*

CHELSEA, . . . .	Jan. 10,* 1789	1838 bounds between Boston and Cambridge established. April 1, 1838 bounds between Boston and Hyde Park established. May 13, 1838 bounds between Boston and Newton established. Main land in the Charlestown district ceded to the State.
North Chelsea, . . . .	Mar. 19, 1845	Part of Chelsea, as Winthrop, and within ninety
Revere, . . . .	Mar. 24, 1871	North Chelsea authorized to change its name. April 3, 1871 name changed to Revere.
Winthrop, . . . .	Mar. 27, 1862	Part of North Chelsea.

WORCESTER COUNTY. INCORPORATED APRIL 2, 1731.

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**NORFOLK COUNTY — Concluded.**

From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary,  
Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.

Part of Needham.

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Part of Dedham.

Weymouth, . . .
Wrentham, . . .

PLYMOUTH COUNTY. INCORPORATED JUNE 2, 1686.

Abington, . . .	June 10,* 1712	P	
Bridgewater, . . .	June 8,* 1686	Part o tain twes	l,* 1682 cer- lands be- farms, and

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## PLYMOUTH COUNTY — Continued.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Bridgewater — Con. . .	June 8,* 1636	
BROCKTON, . . .	Mar. 28, 1874	
Carver, . . .	June 9, 1790	1793 bounds between Carver and 1. 20, 1827 part annexed to Ware- ; between Carver and Middlebor- 1901 bounds between Carver and



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of Pembroke. April 2, 1903 bounds between Hanson and  
Pembroke established.

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13,\* 1840 land at  
1770 part estab-  
1881 bounds be-  
April 30, 1897  
all, and Scituate

plantation called "Nantascot." May 26,\* 1647 Hull is  
incorporated as a town. June 12,\* 1653 Brewster Islands granted  
Hull.

of Plymouth. April 14, 1857 part of Duxbury annexed.

of Middleborough. June 1, 1887 bounds between Lakeville  
and Taunton established.

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name changed from Rexhams though not recorded. Mar. 7,\*  
1648 bounds established. Mar. 5,\* 1661 certain lands granted  
to Marshfield and Duxbury. Feb. 23,\* 1688 bounds between  
Marshfield and Duxbury established. Mar. 21,\* 1712 part  
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187 bounds

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Bridgewater established. Mar. 23,  
be changed. May 5, 1874 Brockton

outh Scituate authorized to change its name. Mar. 5, 1888  
Norwell adopted as the name. April 30, 1887 bounds between  
Norwell and Hingham established.

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and the land called Marshfield upper  
July 4,\* 1734 part included in the new

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## WORCESTER COUNTY — Continued.

Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary,  
Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.

	or incorporated.	
Milford, . . . .	April 11, 1780	P.
Milbury, . . . .	June 11, 1812	Part of Sutton. May 24, 1851 part of Auburn annexed.
New Braintree, . . . .	Jan. 31,* 1761	New Braintree and Brook town annexed to the other New Braintree and Brook town annexed to the other to Hardwick.
Northborough, . . . .	Jan. 24, 1786	as the district of North- borough made a town by general act Northborough and Berlin annexed to the other town. annexed and bounds estab- lished.

Part of Brookfield. April 15, 1854 part annexed to Brookfield.

Part of Rutland established as the district of Oakham. Aug. 28, 1775 the district made a town by general act.

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# WORCESTER COUNTY — Continued.

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change of Boundary,  
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28, 1758 certain lands  
in the new town of  
Peterham and Dana  
to Dana, April 10,  
na established.

1837 bounds between  
d. April 5, 1838 part

7, 1760 part annexed to  
in the new district of  
and Gerry annexed.  
far. 29, 1837 bounds be-  
lished.

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Rutland, . . . . .	Feb. 23,* 1714	
Rutland, District of, . .	April 13, 1733	Part of Rutland. June 17, 1774 Rutland District established as Hutchinson.
Shrewsbury, . . . . .	Dec. 6,* 1730 C	
Southborough, . . . . .	July 6,* 1737	Mar. 7, 1' between 24, 1843 between
Southbridge, . . . . .	Feb. 15, 1816	

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## WORCESTER COUNTY — Continued.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.
Spencer, . . . .	April 12, 1753	Part of Leicester established as the district of Spencer. Aug. 23, 1775 the district made a town by general act.
Sterling, . . . .	April 25, 1781	Part of Lancaster. Mar. 12, 1783 bounds between Sterling and Lancaster established. Jan. 30, 1803 part included in the new . . . 1, 1837 bounds between Sterling
Sturbridge, . . . .	June 24,* 1788	
Sutton, . . . .	Oct. 23,* 1714	allowed arms an- June 14,* 10,* 1737 to Graf. 30, 1757 a Sutton off from 20, 1780 gore of



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Parish	Annexed to	Annexed by	Annexed on	Notes
Templeton	• • •	• • •	Mar. 6, 1702	land annexed. In 17, 1801 part annexed as Milbury. Mar. 7, 1837 bought. Mar. 8, 1837 part annexed to 1
Upton	• • •	• • •	June 14, 1736	in, Sutton, and Uxbridge. Jan. 24, 1808. Mar. 8, 1808 part of Hop-
Uxbridge	• • •	• • •	June 27, 1737	
Ward	• • •	• • •	April 10, 1778	The parish set off from Leicester, Oxford, Sutton, and Worcester. Feb. 17, 1837 name changed to Auburn.
Warren	• • •	• • •	Mar. 13, 1834	Name changed from Western.

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WORCESTER COUNTY — *Concluded.*

	First mentioned in Records of the State, or therein recorded as Established or Incorporated.	From what Established or Incorporated, Change of Boundary, Incorporation as a City, Extinction, etc.	
Webster, . . . . .	Mar. 6, 1833	Common bounds	Feb. 27, 1841
Westborough, . . . . .	Nov. 18,* 1717		
West Boylston, . . . . .	Jan. 30, 1808	Parts of Boylston, Holden, and Sterling. Feb. 10, 1830 part of Boylston annexed. June 17, 1830 part of Boylston annexed. May 2, 1806 bounds between West Boylston and Boylston established.	
West Brookfield, . . . . .	Mar. 8, 1848	Part of Brookfield.	
Western, . . . . .	Jan. 16,* 1742	Parts of Brimfield, Brookfield, and Kingsfield (now Palmer). Feb. 8, 1823 part annexed to Ware. Feb. 7, 1831 part annexed to Palmer. Mar. 13, 1834 name changed to Warren.	
Westminster, . . . . .	Oct. 20, 1759	The plantation called Narragansett Number Two established as the district of Westminster. April 29, 1770 the district made a town. June 27, 1785 part included in the new town of Gardner.	

Feb. 27, 1786 part of Fitchburg annexed. Feb. 16, 1813 part of Fitchburg annexed. Jan. 28, 1824 part annexed to Ashburnham. April 10, 1838 part of the common lands called No Town annexed. April 23, 1870 part annexed to Princeton.

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## CITIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH,

WITH THE DATES OF THEIR INCORPORATION AND THEIR POPULATION.

NAME.	INCORPORATED.	POPULATION, 1895. (State Cen- sus.)	POPULATION, 1900. (U. S. Cen- sus.)	POPULATION, 1905. (State Cen- sus.)
Boston, . .	Feb. 23, 1822,	496,920	560,892	595,380
Salem, . .	Mar. 23, 1836,	34,473	35,956	37,627
Lowell, . .	Apr. 1, 1836,	84,367	94,969	94,889
Cambridge, .	Mar. 17, 1846,	81,643	91,886	97,434
New Bedford,	Mar. 9, 1847,	55,251	62,442	74,362
Worcester, .	Feb. 29, 1848,	98,767	118,421	128,135
Lynn, . .	Apr. 10, 1850,	62,354	68,513	77,042
Newburyport,	May 24, 1851,	14,552	14,478	14,675
Springfield, .	Apr. 12, 1852,	51,522	62,059	73,540
Lawrence, .	Mar. 21, 1853,	52,164	62,559	70,050
Fall River, .	Apr. 12, 1854,	89,203	104,863	105,762
Chelsea, . .	Mar. 13, 1857,	31,264	34,072	37,289
Taunton, . .	May 11, 1864,	27,115	31,036	30,967
Haverhill, .	Mar. 10, 1869,	30,209	37,175	37,830
Somerville, .	Apr. 14, 1871,	52,200	61,643	69,272
Fitchburg, .	Mar. 8, 1872,	26,409	31,531	33,021
Holyoke, . .	Apr. 7, 1873,	40,322	45,712	49,934
Gloucester, .	Apr. 28, 1873,	28,211	26,121	26,011
Newton, . .	June 2, 1873,	27,590	33,587	36,827
Malden, . .	Mar. 31, 1881,	29,708	33,664	38,037
Brockton, .	Apr. 9, 1881,	33,165	40,063	47,794
Northampton,	June 23, 1883,	16,746	18,643	19,957
Waltham, . .	June 2, 1884,	20,876	23,481	26,282
Quincy, . .	May 17, 1888,	20,712	23,899	28,076
Woburn, . .	May 18, 1888,	14,178	14,254	14,402
Pittsfield, .	June 5, 1889,	20,461	21,766	25,001
Chicopee, . .	Apr. 18, 1890,	16,420	19,167	20,191
Marlborough,	May 23, 1890,	14,977	13,609	14,073
Medford, . .	May 31, 1892,	14,474	18,244	19,686
Everett, . .	June 11, 1892,	18,573	24,336	29,111
Beverly, . .	Mar. 23, 1894,	11,806	13,884	15,223
North Adams,	Mar. 22, 1895,	19,135	24,200	22,150
Melrose, . .	Mar. 18, 1899,	11,965	12,962	14,295

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.

[As established by Chapter 511 of the Acts of 1901. See also Revised Laws, Chapter 11, Section 422.]

## DISTRICT No. 1.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.	CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.
<i>Berkshire County.</i>		<i>Berkshire Co. — Con.</i>	
Adams, . . . . .	11,134	Washington, . . . . .	377
Alford, . . . . .	272	West Stockbridge, . . . . .	1,158
Becket, . . . . .	994	Williamstown, . . . . .	5,013
Cheshire, . . . . .	1,221	Windsor, . . . . .	507
Clarksburg, . . . . .	943		
Dalton, . . . . .	3,014	<i>Franklin County.</i>	
Egremont, . . . . .	758	Ashfield, . . . . .	955
Florida, . . . . .	390	Bernardston, . . . . .	792
Great Barrington, . . . . .	5,854	Buckland, . . . . .	1,446
Hancock, . . . . .	451	Charlemont, . . . . .	1,094
Hinsdale, . . . . .	1,485	Colrain, . . . . .	1,749
Lanesborough, . . . . .	780	Conway, . . . . .	1,458
Lee, . . . . .	3,596	Deerfield, . . . . .	1,969
Lenox, . . . . .	2,942	Gill, . . . . .	1,015
Monterey, . . . . .	455	Greenfield, . . . . .	7,927
Mount Washington, . . . . .	122	Hawley, . . . . .	429
New Ashford, . . . . .	107	Heath, . . . . .	441
New Marlborough, . . . . .	1,282	Leyden, . . . . .	379
NORTH ADAMS, . . . . .	24,200	Monroe, . . . . .	305
Otis, . . . . .	476	Rowe, . . . . .	549
Peru, . . . . .	253	Shelburne, . . . . .	1,508
PITTSFIELD, . . . . .	21,766	Whately, . . . . .	769
Richmond, . . . . .	679		
Sandisfield, . . . . .	661	<i>Hampden County.</i>	
Savoy, . . . . .	506	Agawam, . . . . .	2,536
Sheffield, . . . . .	1,804	Blandford, . . . . .	836
Stockbridge, . . . . .	2,081	Chester, . . . . .	1,450
Tyringham, . . . . .	386	Granville, . . . . .	1,060

DISTRICT No. 1—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.	CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.
<i>Hampden Co.—Con.</i>		<i>Hampshire Co.—Con.</i>	
HOLYOKE, . . .	45,712	Goshen, . . .	316
Montgomery, . . .	273	Hatfield, . . .	1,500
Russell, . . .	793	Huntington, . . .	1,475
Southwick, . . .	1,040	Middlefield, . . .	410
Tolland, . . .	275	Plainfield, . . .	404
Westfield, . . .	12,310	Southampton, . . .	1,012
West Springfield, . .	7,105	Westhampton, . . .	469
<i>Hampshire County.</i>		Williamsburg, . . .	1,926
Chesterfield, . . .	611	Worthington, . . .	675
Cummington, . . .	748	Total, . . .	201,378

## DISTRICT No. 2.

<i>Franklin County.</i>		<i>Hampshire Co.—Con.</i>	
Erving, . . .	973	Easthampton, . . .	5,603
Leverett, . . .	744	Enfield, . . .	1,036
Montague, . . .	6,150	Granby, . . .	761
New Salem, . . .	807	Greenwich, . . .	491
Northfield, . . .	1,966	Hadley, . . .	1,789
Orange, . . .	5,520	NORTHAMPTON, . . .	18,643
Shutesbury, . . .	382	Pelham, . . .	462
Sunderland, . . .	771	Prescott, . . .	380
Warwick, . . .	619	South Hadley, . . .	4,526
Wendell, . . .	492	Ware, . . .	8,263
<i>Hampden County.</i>		<i>Worcester County.</i>	
Brimfield, . . .	941	Athol, . . .	7,061
CHICOPEE, . . .	19,167	Barre, . . .	2,059
East Longmeadow, . .	1,187	Brookfield, . . .	3,062
Hampden, . . .	782	Dana, . . .	790
Holland, . . .	169	Hardwick, . . .	3,203
Longmeadow, . . .	811	New Braintree, . . .	500
Ludlow, . . .	3,536	North Brookfield, . .	4,587
Monson, . . .	3,402	Oakham, . . .	588
Palmer, . . .	7,801	Petersham, . . .	853
SPRINGFIELD, . . .	62,059	Phillipston, . . .	441
Wales, . . .	773	Royalston, . . .	958
Wilbraham, . . .	1,595	Warren, . . .	4,417
<i>Hampshire County.</i>		West Brookfield, . .	1,448
Amherst, . . .	5,028	Total, . . .	199,888
Belchertown, . . .	2,292		

**DISTRICT No. 3.**

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.	CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.
<i>Worcester County.</i>		<i>Worcester Co. — Con.</i>	
Auburn, . . . .	1,621	Shrewsbury, . . . .	1,626
Charlton, . . . .	1,860	Southbridge, . . . .	10,025
Douglas, . . . .	2,113	Spencer, . . . .	7,627
Dudley, . . . .	3,553	Sturbridge, . . . .	2,058
Grafton, . . . .	4,869	Sutton, . . . .	3,328
Holden, . . . .	2,464	Uxbridge, . . . .	8,599
Leicester, . . . .	3,416	Webster, . . . .	8,804
Millbury, . . . .	4,460	Westborough, . . . .	5,400
Northbridge, . . . .	7,036	West Boylston, . . . .	2,314
Oxford, . . . .	2,677	WORCESTER, . . . .	118,421
Paxton, . . . .	459		
Rutland, . . . .	1,334	Total, . . . .	199,064

**DISTRICT No. 4.**

<i>Middlesex County.</i>		<i>Middlesex Co. — Con.</i>	
Acton, . . . .	2,120	Weston, . . . .	1,834
Ashby, . . . .	876		
Ashland, . . . .	1,525	<i>Worcester County.</i>	
Ayer, . . . .	2,446	Ashburnham, . . . .	1,882
Bedford, . . . .	1,208	Berlin, . . . .	1,008
Boxborough, . . . .	316	Bolton, . . . .	770
Concord, . . . .	5,652	Boylston, . . . .	1,364
Framingham, . . . .	11,302	Clinton, . . . .	13,667
Groton, . . . .	2,052	FITCHBURG, . . . .	31,531
Hudson, . . . .	5,454	Gardner, . . . .	10,813
Lexington, . . . .	3,831	Harvard, . . . .	1,139
Lincoln, . . . .	1,127	Hubbardston, . . . .	1,227
Littleton, . . . .	1,179	Lancaster, . . . .	2,478
MARLBOROUGH, . . . .	13,609	Leominster, . . . .	12,392
Maynard, . . . .	3,142	Lunenburg, . . . .	1,332
Natick, . . . .	9,488	Northborough, . . . .	2,164
Pepperell, . . . .	3,701	Princeton, . . . .	975
Shirley, . . . .	1,630	Southborough, . . . .	1,921
Stow, . . . .	1,002	Sterling, . . . .	1,420
Sudbury, . . . .	1,150	Templeton, . . . .	3,489
Townsend, . . . .	1,804	Westminster, . . . .	1,327
WALTHAM, . . . .	23,481	Winchendon, . . . .	5,001
Wayland, . . . .	2,308		
Westford, . . . .	2,624	Total, . . . .	200,801

## DISTRICT No. 5.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.	CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.
<i>Essex County.</i>		<i>Middlesex Co.—Con.</i>	
Andover, . . . .	6,813	Chelmsford, . . . .	3,984
LAWRENCE, . . . .	62,559	Dracut, . . . .	3,253
Lynnfield, . . . .	888	Dunstable, . . . .	427
Methuen, . . . .	7,512	LOWELL,* . . . .	94,969
North Andover, . .	4,243	North Reading, . . .	1,035
		Reading, . . . .	4,969
<i>Middlesex County.</i>		Tewksbury,* . . . .	3,683
Billerica, . . . .	2,775	Tyngsborough, . . .	773
Burlington, . . . .	593	Wilmington, . . . .	1,596
Carlisle, . . . .	480	Total, . . . .	200,552

## DISTRICT No. 6.

<i>Essex County.</i>		<i>Essex Co.—Con.</i>	
Amesbury, . . . .	9,473	Middleton, . . . .	839
BEVERLY, . . . .	13,884	Newbury, . . . .	1,601
Boxford, . . . .	704	NEWBURYPORT, . . .	14,478
Danvers, . . . .	8,542	Peabody, . . . .	11,523
Essex, . . . .	1,663	Rockport, . . . .	4,592
Georgetown, . . . .	1,900	Rowley, . . . .	1,391
GLOUCESTER, . . . .	26,121	SALEM, . . . .	35,956
Groveland, . . . .	2,376	Salisbury, . . . .	1,558
Hamilton, . . . .	1,614	Swampscott, . . . .	4,548
HAVERHILL, . . . .	37,175	Topsfield, . . . .	1,030
Ipswich, . . . .	4,658	Wenham, . . . .	847
Manchester, . . . .	2,522	West Newbury, . . .	1,558
Marblehead, . . . .	7,582	Total, . . . .	200,266
Merrimac, . . . .	2,131		

## DISTRICT No. 7.

<i>Essex County.</i>		<i>Middlesex Co.—Con.</i>	
LYNN, . . . .	68,513	Stoneham, . . . .	6,197
Nahant, . . . .	1,152	Wakefield, . . . .	9,290
Saugus, . . . .	5,084		
<i>Middlesex County.</i>		<i>Suffolk County.</i>	
EVERETT, . . . .	24,336	CHELSEA, . . . .	84,072
MALDEN, . . . .	33,664	Revere, . . . .	10,395
MELROSE, . . . .	12,962	Total, . . . .	205,665

\* Part of Tewksbury (with 1,491 population) annexed to Lowell, April 30, 1906.



DISTRICT No. 8.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.	CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.
<i>Middlesex County.</i>		<i>Middlesex Co. — Con.</i>	
Arlington, . . .	8,603	Winchester, . . .	7,248
Belmont, . . .	3,929	Woburn, . . .	14,254
CAMBRIDGE, . . .	91,886		
MEDFORD, . . .	18,244		
SOMERVILLE, . . .	61,643	Total, . . .	205,807

DISTRICT No. 9.

<i>Suffolk County.</i>		<i>Suffolk Co. — Con.</i>	
Boston, Ward 1, . . .	22,832	Boston, Ward 8, . . .	28,817
Ward 2, . . .	22,924	Ward 9, . . .	24,583
Ward 3, . . .	14,564	Ward 12, pre-	
Ward 4, . . .	13,248	cincts 6 and 7,	8,524
Ward 5, . . .	12,840	Winthrop, . . .	6,058
Ward 6, . . .	30,546		
Ward 7, . . .	14,782	Total, . . .	199,718

DISTRICT No. 10.

<i>Norfolk County.</i>		<i>Suffolk Co. — Con.</i>	
Milton, . . .	6,578	Boston, Ward 15, . . .	19,700
QUINCY, . . .	23,899	Ward 16, . . .	20,017
		Ward 17, . . .	25,038
		Ward 20, . . .	32,556
<i>Suffolk County.</i>		Ward 24, . . .	27,126
Boston, Ward 13, . . .	22,835		
Ward 14, . . .	21,453	Total, . . .	199,202

DISTRICT No. 11.

<i>Suffolk County.</i>		<i>Suffolk Co. — Con.</i>	
Boston, Ward 10, . . .	22,142	Boston, Ward 21, . . .	23,868
Ward 11, . . .	19,275	Ward 22, . . .	25,610
Ward 12, pre-		Ward 23, . . .	23,637
cincts 1, 2, 3,		Ward 25, . . .	19,279
4 and 5, . . .	15,117		
Ward 18, . . .	22,401		
Ward 19, . . .	27,178	Total, . . .	198,507

## DISTRICT No. 12.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.	CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.
<i>Bristol County.</i>		<i>Norfolk Co. — Con.</i>	
North Attleborough, .	7,253	Medway, . . . .	2,761
<i>Middlesex County.</i>		Millis, . . . .	1,053
Holliston, . . . .	2,598	Needham, . . . .	4,016
Hopkinton, . . . .	2,623	Norfolk, . . . .	980
NEWTON, . . . .	33,587	Norwood, . . . .	5,480
Sherborn, . . . .	1,483	Plainville,* . . . .	-
Watertown, . . . .	9,706	Randolph, . . . .	3,993
<i>Norfolk County.</i>		Sharon, . . . .	2,060
Avon, . . . .	1,741	Stoughton, . . . .	5,442
Bellingham, . . . .	1,682	Walpole, . . . .	3,572
Braintree, . . . .	5,981	Wellesley, . . . .	5,072
Brookline, . . . .	19,935	Westwood, . . . .	1,112
Canton, . . . .	4,584	Weymouth, . . . .	11,324
Dedham, . . . .	7,457	Wrentham,* . . . .	2,720
Dover, . . . .	656	<i>Worcester County.</i>	
Foxborough, . . . .	3,266	Blackstone, . . . .	5,721
Franklin, . . . .	5,017	Hopedale, . . . .	2,087
Holbrook, . . . .	2,229	Mendon, . . . .	911
Hyde Park, . . . .	13,244	Milford, . . . .	11,376
Medfield, . . . .	2,926	Upton, . . . .	1,937
		Total, . . . .	197,585

## DISTRICT No. 13.

<i>Bristol County.</i>		<i>Dukes Co. — Con.</i>	
Acushnet, . . . .	1,221	Edgartown, . . . .	1,209
Berkley, . . . .	949	Gay Head, . . . .	173
Dartmouth, . . . .	3,689	Gosnold, . . . .	164
Dighton, . . . .	1,802	Tisbury, . . . .	1,149
Fairhaven, . . . .	3,567	West Tisbury, . . . .	442
FALL RIVER, . . . .	104,863	<i>Nantucket County.</i>	
Freetown, . . . .	1,394	Nantucket, . . . .	3,006
NEW BEDFORD, . . . .	62,442	<i>Plymouth County.</i>	
Rehoboth, . . . .	1,840	Marion, . . . .	902
Seekonk, . . . .	1,673	Mattapoisett, . . . .	1,061
Somerset, . . . .	2,241	Rochester, . . . .	986
Swansea, . . . .	1,645	Total, . . . .	200,712
Westport, . . . .	2,890		
<i>Dukes County.</i>			
Chilmark, . . . .	324		
Cottage City, . . . .	1,100		

\* Plainville was incorporated from a part of Wrentham, April 4, 1905.

## DISTRICT No. 14.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.	CITIES AND TOWNS.	Population 1900.
<i>Barnstable County.</i>		<i>Plymouth County.</i>	
Barnstable, . . .	4,364	Abington, . . .	4,489
Bourne, . . .	1,657	Bridgewater, . . .	5,806
Brewster, . . .	829	BROCKTON, . . .	40,063
Chatham, . . .	1,749	Carver, . . .	1,104
Dennis, . . .	2,333	Duxbury, . . .	2,075
Eastham, . . .	502	East Bridgewater, . . .	3,025
Falmouth, . . .	3,500	Halifax, . . .	522
Harwich, . . .	2,334	Hanover, . . .	2,152
Mashpee, . . .	303	Hanson, . . .	1,455
Orleans, . . .	1,123	Hingham, . . .	5,059
Provincetown, . . .	4,247	Hull, . . .	1,703
Sandwich, . . .	1,448	Kingston, . . .	1,955
Truro, . . .	767	Lakeville, . . .	958
Wellfleet, . . .	988	Marshfield, . . .	1,810
Yarmouth, . . .	1,682	Middleborough, . . .	6,885
<i>Bristol County.</i>		Norwell, . . .	1,560
Attleborough, . . .	11,335	Pembroke, . . .	1,240
Easton, . . .	4,837	Plymouth, . . .	9,592
Mansfield, . . .	4,006	Plympton, . . .	488
Norton, . . .	1,826	Rockland, . . .	5,327
Raynham, . . .	1,540	Scituate, . . .	2,470
TAUNTON, . . .	31,036	Wareham, . . .	3,432
<i>Norfolk County.</i>		West Bridgewater, . . .	1,711
Cohasset, . . .	2,759	Whitman, . . .	6,155
		Total, . . .	196,201

## COUNCILLOR DISTRICTS.

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[As established by Chapter 497 of the Acts of 1906.]

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**I. — The Cape, the First and Second Plymouth and the Second and Third Bristol Senatorial Districts. Legal voters, 77,340.**

*Cape District.* — Barnstable, Bourne, Brewster, Chatham, Dennis, Eastham, Falmouth, Harwich, Mashpee, Orleans, Provincetown, Sandwich, Truro, Wellfleet and Yarmouth, *in the county of Barnstable*; Chilmark, Cottage City,\* Edgartown, Gay Head, Gosnold, Tisbury and West Tisbury, *in the county of Dukes County*; and Nantucket.

*Plymouth Districts.* — Abington, Bridgewater, Brockton, Carver, Duxbury, East Bridgewater, Halifax, Hanover, Hanson, Hingham, Hull, Kingston, Lakeville, Marlon, Marshfield, Mattapoisett, Middleborough, Norwell, Pembroke, Plymouth, Plympton, Rochester, Rockland, Scituate, Wareham, West Bridgewater and Whitman; and Cohasset, *in the county of Norfolk*.

*Bristol Districts.* — Acushnet, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, Fall River, Freetown, New Bedford, Somerset, Swansea and Westport.

**II. — The First Bristol, the First and Second Norfolk and the Eighth and Ninth Suffolk Senatorial Districts. Legal voters, 86,018.**

*Bristol District.* — Attleborough, Berkley, Dighton, Easton, Mansfield, North Attleborough, Norton, Raynham, Rehoboth, Seekonk and Taunton.

*Norfolk Districts.* — Avon, Bellingham, Braintree, Brookline, Canton, Dedham, Dover, Foxborough, Franklin, Holbrook, Hyde Park, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Milton, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Plainville, Quincy, Randolph, Sharon, Stoughton, Walpole, Wellesley, Westwood, Weymouth and Wrentham.

*Suffolk Districts.* — Wards Nos. 20, 21, 23 and 24 of Boston.

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III.—The Second, Third, Fourth, Sixth and Seventh Suffolk Senatorial Districts. Legal voters, 91,826.

*Suffolk Districts.*—Wards Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 22 of Boston; and also Wards Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Cambridge, in the county of Middlesex.

IV.—The First and Fifth Suffolk and the Second, Third and Fourth Middlesex Senatorial Districts. Legal voters, 84,934.

*Suffolk Districts.*—Wards Nos. 1, 10, 11 and 25 of Boston, and Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop.

*Middlesex Districts.*—Wards Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 of Cambridge, and Everett, Malden, Melrose and Somerville.

V.—The First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Essex Senatorial Districts. Legal voters, 83,104.

*Essex Districts.*—Amesbury, Andover, Beverly, Boxford, Danvers, Essex, Georgetown, Gloucester, Groveland, Hamilton, Haverhill, Ipswich, Lawrence, Wards Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of Lynn, Manchester, Marblehead, Merrimac, Methuen, Middleton, Nahant, Newbury, Newburyport, North Andover, Peabody, Rockport, Rowley, Salem, Salisbury, Swampscott, Topsfield, Wenham and West Newbury.

VI.—The First, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Middlesex Senatorial Districts. Legal voters, 86,215.

*Middlesex Districts.*—Acton, Arlington, Ashby, Ashland, Ayer, Bedford, Belmont, Billerica, Boxborough, Burlington, Carlisle, Chelmsford, Concord, Dracut, Dunstable, Framingham, Groton, Holliston, Hopkinton, Hudson, Lexington, Lincoln, Littleton, Lowell, Marlborough, Maynard, Medford, Natick, Newton, North Reading, Pepperell, Reading, Sherborn, Shirley, Stoneham, Stow, Sudbury, Tewksbury, Townsend, Tyngsborough, Wakefield, Waltham, Watertown, Wayland, Westford, Weston, Wilmington, Winchester and Woburn; and also Ward No. 6 of Lynn, and Lynnfield and Saugus, in the county of Essex.

VII.—The First, Second, Third and Fourth Worcester and the Worcester and Hampden Senatorial Districts. Legal voters, 81,266.

*Worcester Districts.*—Ashburnham, Athol, Auburn, Berlin, Blackstone, Bolton, Boylston, Clinton, Douglas, Fitchburg, Gardner,

Grafton, Harvard, Holden, Hopedale, Lancaster, Leominster, Lunenburg, Mendon, Milford, Millbury, Northborough, Northbridge, Oxford, Royalston, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Sterling, Sutton, Upton, Uxbridge, Webster, Westborough, West Boylston, Westminster, Winchendon and Worcester.

*Worcester and Hampden District.*—Barre, Brookfield, Charlton, Dana, Dudley, Hardwick, Hubbardston, Leicester, New Braintree, North Brookfield, Oakham, Paxton, Petersham, Phillipston, Princeton, Rutland, Southbridge, Spencer, Sturbridge, Templeton, Warren and West Brookfield, *in the county of Worcester*; and Brimfield, Hampden, Holland, Ludlow, Monson, Palmer, Wales and Wilbraham, *in the county of Hampden*.

VIII.—The Berkshire, the Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden, the Franklin and Hampshire and the First and Second Hampden Senatorial Districts. Legal voters, 83,471.

*Berkshire District.*—Adams, Cheshire, Clarksburg, Dalton, Florida, Hancock, Hinsdale, Lanesborough, New Ashford, North Adams, Peru, Pittsfield, Savoy, Williamstown and Windsor.

*Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden District.*—Alford, Becket, Egremont, Great Barrington, Lee, Lenox, Monterey, Mount Washington, New Marlborough, Otis, Richmond, Sandisfield, Sheffield, Stockbridge, Tyringham, Washington and West Stockbridge, *in the county of Berkshire*; Chesterfield, Cumington, Easthampton, Goshen, Hatfield, Huntington, Middlefield, Northampton, Plainfield, Southampton, Westhampton, Williamsburg and Worthington, *in the county of Hampshire*; and Agawam, Blandford, Chester, East Longmeadow, Granville, Longmeadow, Montgomery, Russell, Southwick and Tolland, *in the county of Hampden*.

*Franklin and Hampshire District.*—Ashfield, Bernardston, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Deerfield, Erving, Gill, Greenfield, Hawley, Heath, Leverett, Leyden, Monroe, Montague, New Salem, Northfield, Orange, Rowe, Shelburne, Shutesbury, Sunderland, Warwick, Wendell and Whately, *in the county of Franklin*; and Amherst, Belchertown, Enfield, Granby, Greenwich, Hadley, Pelham, Prescott, South Hadley and Ware, *in the county of Hampshire*.

*Hampden Districts.*—Chicopee, Holyoke, Springfield, Westfield and West Springfield.

## SENATORIAL DISTRICTS.

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[As established by Chapter 497 of the Acts of 1906.]

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[Average ratio for the State, 16,854 +.]

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*Berkshire District.* — Adams, Cheshire, Clarksburg, Dalton, Florida, Hancock, Hinsdale, Lanesborough, New Ashford, North Adams, Peru, Pittsfield, Savoy, Williamstown and Windsor. Legal voters, 16,471.

*Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden District.* — Alford, Becket, Egremont, Great Barrington, Lee, Lenox, Monterey, Mount Washington, New Marlborough, Otis, Richmond, Sandisfield, Sheffield, Stockbridge, Tyringham, Washington and West Stockbridge, *in the county of Berkshire*; Chesterfield, Cummington, Easthampton, Goshen, Hatfield, Huntington, Middlefield, Northampton, Plainfield, Southampton, Westhampton, Williamsburg and Worthington, *in the county of Hampshire*; and Agawam, Blandford, Chester, East Longmeadow, Granville, Longmeadow, Montgomery, Russell, Southwick and Tolland, *in the county of Hampden*. Legal voters, 16,093.

*First Bristol District.* — Attleborough, Berkley, Dighton, Easton, Mansfield, North Attleborough, Norton, Raynham, Rehoboth, Seekonk and Taunton. Legal voters, 16,431.

*Second Bristol District.* — Fall River, Somerset and Swansea. Legal voters, 18,791.

*Third Bristol District.* — Acushnet, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, Free-town, New Bedford and Westport. Legal voters, 16,146.

*Cape District.* — Barnstable, Bourne, Brewster, Chatham, Dennis, Eastham, Falmouth, Harwich, Mashpee, Orleans, Provincetown, Sandwich, Truro, Wellfleet and Yarmouth, *in the county of Barnstable*; Chilmark, Cottage City,\* Edgartown, Gay Head, Gosnold, Tisbury and West Tisbury, *in the county of Dukes County*; and Nantucket. Legal voters, 9,191.

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*First Essex District.*—Wards Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 of Lynn, and Nahant and Swampscott. Legal voters, 16,476.

*Second Essex District.*—Beverly, Danvers, Marblehead and Salem. Legal voters, 16,373.

*Third Essex District.*—Essex, Gloucester, Hamilton, Ipswich, Manchester, Newbury, Newburyport, Rockport, Rowley, Salisbury, Topsfield, Wenham and West Newbury. Legal voters, 15,874.

*Fourth Essex District.*—Amesbury, Boxford, Georgetown, Groveland, Haverhill, Merrimac, Middleton and Peabody. Legal voters, 16,620.

*Fifth Essex District.*—Andover, Lawrence, Methuen and North Andover. Legal voters, 17,761.

*Franklin and Hampshire District.*—Ashfield, Bernardston, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Deerfield, Erving, Gill, Greenfield, Hawley, Heath, Leverett, Leyden, Monroe, Montague, New Salem, Northfield, Orange, Rowe, Shelburne, Shutesbury, Sunderland, Warwick, Wendell and Whately, *in the county of Franklin*; and Amherst, Belchertown, Enfield, Granby, Greenwich, Hadley, Pelham, Prescott, South Hadley and Ware, *in the county of Hampshire*. Legal voters, 16,045.

*First Hampden District.*—Springfield. Legal voters, 17,376.

*Second Hampden District.*—Chicopee, Holyoke, Westfield and West Springfield. Legal voters, 17,486.

*First Middlesex District.*—Ashland, Framingham, Holliston, Hopkinton, Natick, Newton, Sherborn, Watertown and Weston. Legal voters, 18,460.

*Second Middlesex District.*—Wards Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 of Cambridge. Legal voters, 15,309.

*Third Middlesex District.*—Somerville. Legal voters, 15,906.

*Fourth Middlesex District.*—Everett, Malden and Melrose. Legal voters, 18,660.

*Fifth Middlesex District.*—Belmont, Concord, Hudson, Lexington, Lincoln, Marlborough, Maynard, Stow, Sudbury, Waltham and Wayland. Legal voters, 16,213.

*Sixth Middlesex District.*—Arlington, Medford, Stoneham, Wakefield, Winchester and Woburn. Legal voters, 16,226.



*Seventh Middlesex District.*— Acton, Ayer, Bedford, Billerica, Boxborough, Burlington, Carlisle, Littleton, Wards Nos. 5 and 9 of Lowell, North Reading, Reading, Tewksbury, Westford and Wilmington, *in the county of Middlesex*; and also Ward No. 6 of Lynn, and Lynnfield and Saugus, *in the county of Essex*. Legal voters, 16,011.

*Eighth Middlesex District.*— Ashby, Chelmsford, Dracut, Dunstable, Groton, Wards Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8 of Lowell, Pepperell, Shirley, Townsend and Tyngsborough. Legal voters, 19,805.

*First Norfolk District.*— Braintree, Canton, Holbrook, Hyde Park, Milton, Quincy, Randolph and Weymouth. Legal voters, 18,835.

*Second Norfolk District.*— Avon, Bellingham, Brookline, Dedham, Dover, Foxborough, Franklin, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Plainville, Sharon, Stoughton, Walpole, Wellesley, Westwood and Wrentham. Legal voters, 18,737.

*First Plymouth District.*— Abington, Carver, Duxbury, East Bridgewater, Halifax, Hanover, Hanson, Hingham, Hull, Kingston, Marshfield, Norwell, Pembroke, Plymouth, Plympton, Rockland, Scituate and Whitman; and also Cohasset, *in the county of Norfolk*. Legal voters, 15,620.

*Second Plymouth District.*— Bridgewater, Brockton, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoissett, Middleborough, Rochester, Wareham and West Bridgewater. Legal voters, 17,592.

*First Suffolk District.*— Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop and Ward No. 1 of Boston. Legal voters, 18,371.

*Second Suffolk District.*— Wards Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Boston; and also Wards Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of Cambridge, *in the county of Middlesex*. Legal voters, 20,178.

*Third Suffolk District.*— Wards Nos. 6, 7 and 8 of Boston; and also Ward No. 4 of Cambridge, *in the county of Middlesex*. Legal voters, 15,714.

*Fourth Suffolk District.*— Wards Nos. 9, 12 and 17 of Boston. Legal voters, 17,189.

*Fifth Suffolk District.*— Wards Nos. 10, 11 and 25 of Boston. Legal voters, 16,688.

*Sixth Suffolk District.*— Wards Nos. 13, 14, 15 and 16 of Boston. Legal voters, 19,993.

*Seventh Suffolk District.* — Wards Nos. 18, 19 and 22 of Boston. Legal voters, 18,752.

*Eighth Suffolk District.* — Wards Nos. 20 and 21 of Boston. Legal voters, 17,869.

*Ninth Suffolk District.* — Wards Nos. 23 and 24 of Boston. Legal voters, 14,146.

*First Worcester District.* — Wards Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of Worcester. Legal voters, 19,220.

*Second Worcester District.* — Berlin, Bolton, Boylston, Clinton, Harvard, Holden, Lancaster, Sterling, West Boylston and Wards Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of Worcester. Legal voters, 13,955.

*Third Worcester District.* — Ashburnham, Athol, Fitchburg, Gardner, Leominster, Lunenburg, Royalston, Westminster and Winchendon. Legal voters, 16,854.

*Fourth Worcester District.* — Auburn, Blackstone, Douglas, Grafton, Hopedale, Mendon, Milford, Millbury, Northborough, Northbridge, Oxford, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Sutton, Upton, Uxbridge, Webster and Westborough. Legal voters, 15,588.

*Worcester and Hampden District.* — Barre, Brookfield, Charlton, Dana, Dudley, Hardwick, Hubbardston, Leicester, New Braintree, North Brookfield, Oakham, Paxton, Petersham, Phillipston, Princeton, Rutland, Southbridge, Spencer, Sturbridge, Templeton, Warren and West Brookfield, *in the county of Worcester*; and Brimfield, Hampden, Holland, Ludlow, Monson, Palmer, Wales and Wilbraham, *in the county of Hampden*. Legal voters, 15,649.

## REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS.

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[As established by Chapter 497 of the Acts of 1906.]

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[Average ratio for the State, 2,809+.]

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### BARNSTABLE COUNTY.

#### THREE REPRESENTATIVES.

##### DISTRICT

1. — Barnstable, Bourne, Falmouth, Mashpee and Sandwich. Legal voters, 2,985. One representative.
2. — Chatham, Dennis, Harwich and Yarmouth. Legal voters, 2,149. One representative.
3. — Brewster, Eastham, Orleans, Provincetown, Truro and Wellfleet. Legal voters, 2,089. One representative.

### BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

#### EIGHT REPRESENTATIVES.

##### DISTRICT

1. — Clarksburg, Florida, North Adams, 3d Ward, 4th Ward and 5th Ward, and Savoy. Legal voters, 2,567. One representative.
2. — North Adams, 1st Ward, 2d Ward, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 2,515. One representative.
3. — Adams, Cheshire, Hinsdale, New Ashford, Peru and Windsor. Legal voters, 3,013. One representative.
4. — Dalton, Hancock, Lanesborough, Pittsfield, 1st Ward, and Williamstown. Legal voters, 3,185. One representative.
5. — Pittsfield, 2d Ward, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 2,636. One representative.
6. — Pittsfield, 3d Ward, 4th Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 2,561. One representative.

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- 7.—Becket, Lee, Lenox, Monterey, New Marlborough, Otis, Richmond, Sandisfield, Tyringham and Washington. Legal voters, 2,995. One representative.
- 8.—Alford, Egremont, Great Barrington, Mount Washington, Sheffield, Stockbridge and West Stockbridge. Legal voters, 3,152. One representative.

**BRISTOL COUNTY.****EIGHTEEN REPRESENTATIVES.****DISTRICT**

- 1.—Attleborough, North Attleborough, Norton and Seekonk. Legal voters, 5,871. Two representatives.
- 2.—Easton, Mansfield and Raynham. Legal voters, 2,782. One representative.
- 3.—Taunton, 5th Ward, 7th Ward and 8th Ward. Legal voters, 2,691. One representative.
- 4.—Taunton, 2d Ward, 3d Ward and 4th Ward. Legal voters, 2,405. One representative.
- 5.—Berkley, Dighton, Rehoboth and Taunton, 1st Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,682. One representative.
- 6.—Acushnet, Dartmouth, Fairhaven and Freetown. Legal voters, 2,502. One representative.
- 7.—New Bedford, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 3d Ward. Legal voters, 6,580. Two representatives.
- 8.—New Bedford, 4th Ward, 5th Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 6,359. Two representatives.
- 9.—Fall River, 1st Ward and 2d Ward, and Westport. Legal voters, 5,610. Two representatives.
- 10.—Fall River, 3d Ward, 4th Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 5,543. Two representatives.
- 11.—Fall River, 6th Ward, 7th Ward, 8th Ward and 9th Ward, and Somerset and Swansea. Legal voters, 8,343. Three representatives.

**DUKES COUNTY.****ONE REPRESENTATIVE.****DISTRICT**

- 1.—Chilmark, Cottage City,\* Edgartown, Gay Head, Gosnold, Tisbury and West Tisbury. Legal voters, 1,150. One representative.

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\* Name of town changed to Oak Bluffs by act of the General Court, January 25, 1907.

## ESSEX COUNTY.

## THIRTY-TWO REPRESENTATIVES.

## DISTRICT

- 1.—Amesbury and Merrimac. Legal voters, 2,745. One representative.
- 2.—Haverhill, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 3d Ward. Legal voters, 2,367. One representative.
- 3.—Haverhill, 4th Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 3,002. One representative.
- 4.—Haverhill, 5th Ward. Legal voters, 2,536. One representative.
- 5.—Lawrence, 1st Ward and 2d Ward, and Methuen. Legal voters, 5,855. Two representatives.
- 6.—Lawrence, 3d Ward and 4th Ward. Legal voters, 4,140. One representative.
- 7.—Lawrence, 5th Ward. Legal voters, 2,577. One representative.
- 8.—Lawrence, 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,608. One representative.
- 9.—Andover. Legal voters, 1,523. One representative.
- 10.—Boxford, Groveland, Haverhill, 7th Ward, and North Andover. Legal voters, 3,138. One representative.
- 11.—Peabody. Legal voters, 3,097. One representative.
- 12.—Lynn, 3d Ward, and Swampscott. Legal voters, 5,765. Two representatives.
- 13.—Lynn, 1st Ward, 5th Ward and 7th Ward, and Lynnfield. Legal voters, 5,486. Two representatives.
- 14.—Lynn, 2d Ward and 4th Ward, and Nahant. Legal voters, 5,460. Two representatives.
- 15.—Lynn, 6th Ward, and Saugus. Legal voters, 6,059. Two representatives.
- 16.—Marblehead. Legal voters, 2,193. One representative.
- 17.—Salem, 1st Ward and 2d Ward. Legal voters, 2,737. One representative.
- 18.—Salem, 3d Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 2,988. One representative.
- 19.—Salem, 4th Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,624. One representative.
- 20.—Beverly and Danvers. Legal voters, 5,836. Two representatives.
- 21.—Gloucester, 4th Ward, 5th Ward and 8th Ward, and Manchester. Legal voters, 2,768. One representative.
- 22.—Gloucester, 3d Ward, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 2,401. One representative.

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- 23.**—Gloucester, 1st Ward and 2d Ward, and Rockport. Legal voters, 2,833. One representative.
- 24.**—Essex, Hamilton, Ipswich, Middleton, Rowley, Topsfield and Wenham. Legal voters, 3,013. One representative.
- 25.**—Newburyport, 1st Ward, 2d Ward, 3d Ward and 4th Ward. Legal voters, 2,475. One representative.
- 26.**—Georgetown, Newbury, Newburyport, 5th Ward and 6th Ward, Salisbury and West Newbury. Legal voters, 3,177. One representative.

**FRANKLIN COUNTY.****FOUR REPRESENTATIVES.****DISTRICT**

- 1.**—Ashfield, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Hawley, Heath, Monroe, Rowe, Shelburne and Whately. Legal voters, 2,692. One representative.
- 2.**—Greenfield. Legal voters, 2,383. One representative.
- 3.**—Bernardston, Deerfield, Gill, Leverett, Leyden, Montague and Sunderland. Legal voters, 2,778. One representative.
- 4.**—Erving, New Salem, Northfield, Orange, Shutesbury, Warwick and Wendell. Legal voters, 2,761. One representative.

**HAMPDEN COUNTY.****FOURTEEN REPRESENTATIVES.****DISTRICT**

- 1.**—Brimfield, Holland, Monson, Palmer and Wales. Legal voters, 2,723. One representative.
- 2.**—Agawam, Blandford, Chester, East Longmeadow, Granville, Hampden, Longmeadow, Ludlow, Montgomery, Russell, Southwick, Tolland, West Springfield and Wilbraham. Legal voters, 5,383. Two representatives.
- 3.**—Springfield, 1st Ward. Legal voters, 2,998. One representative.
- 4.**—Springfield, 2d Ward and 3d Ward. Legal voters, 3,591. One representative.
- 5.**—Springfield, 4th Ward, 5th Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 5,549. Two representatives.
- 6.**—Springfield, 7th Ward. Legal voters, 2,596. One representative.

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- 7.—Springfield, 8th Ward. Legal voters, 2,642. One representative.
- 8.—Chicopee. Legal voters, 3,438. One representative.
- 9.—Holyoke, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 4th Ward. Legal voters, 3,597. One representative.
- 10.—Holyoke, 3d Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,856. One representative.
- 11.—Holyoke, 5th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 2,552. One representative.
- 12.—Westfield. Legal voters, 3,169. One representative.

**HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.**

**FOUR REPRESENTATIVES.**

**DISTRICT**

- 1.—Northampton. Legal voters, 3,781. One representative.
- 2.—Chesterfield, Cummington, Easthampton, Goshen, Huntington, Middlefield, Plainfield, Southampton, Westhampton, Williamsburg and Worthington. Legal voters, 3,297. One representative.
- 3.—Amherst, Hadley, Hatfield and South Hadley. Legal voters, 3,106. One representative.
- 4.—Belchertown, Enfield, Granby, Greenwich, Pelham, Prescott and Ware. Legal voters, 2,687. One representative.

**MIDDLESEX COUNTY.**

**FORTY-EIGHT REPRESENTATIVES.**

**DISTRICT**

- 1.—Cambridge, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 3d Ward. Legal voters, 4,455. Two representatives.
- 2.—Cambridge, 4th Ward, 5th Ward, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 9,304. Three representatives.
- 3.—Cambridge, 8th Ward, 9th Ward, 10th Ward and 11th Ward. Legal voters, 8,254. Three representatives.
- 4.—Newton. Legal voters, 7,821. Three representatives.
- 5.—Waltham. Legal voters, 5,822. Two representatives.
- 6.—Natick. Legal voters, 2,621. One representative.
- 7.—Framingham. Legal voters, 2,827. One representative.
- 8.—Ashland, Holliston, Hopkinton and Sherborn. Legal voters, 2,097. One representative.
- 9.—Marlborough. Legal voters, 3,421. One representative.

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- 10.—Boxborough, Hudson, Maynard and Stow. Legal voters, 2,756. One representative.
- 11.—Acton, Ayer, Carlisle, Chelmsford, Littleton and Westford. Legal voters, 3,015. One representative.
- 12.—Ashby, Dunstable, Groton, Pepperell, Shirley, Townsend and Tyngsborough. Legal voters, 2,738. One representative.
- 13.—Bedford, Concord, Lincoln, Sudbury, Wayland and Weston. Legal voters, 3,084. One representative.
- 14.—Dracut and Lowell, 1st Ward. Legal voters, 3,068. One representative.
- 15.—Lowell, 2d Ward. Legal voters, 2,277. One representative.
- 16.—Lowell, 4th Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 3,819. One representative.
- 17.—Lowell, 3d Ward, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 6,385. Two representatives.
- 18.—Lowell, 8th Ward. Legal voters, 2,041. One representative.
- 19.—Billerica, Lowell, 9th Ward, and Tewksbury. Legal voters, 3,107. One representative.
- 20.—Burlington, North Reading, Reading, Wilmington and Woburn. Legal voters, 5,628. Two representatives.
- 21.—Wakefield. Legal voters, 2,473. One representative.
- 22.—Melrose. Legal voters, 3,458. One representative.
- 23.—Malden. Legal voters, 8,512. Three representatives.
- 24.—Everett. Legal voters, 6,690. Two representatives.
- 25.—Somerville, 1st Ward, 3d Ward, 4th Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 8,604. Three representatives.
- 26.—Somerville, 2d Ward, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 7,302. Three representatives.
- 27.—Medford, 3d Ward and 6th Ward, and Winchester. Legal voters, 3,300. One representative.
- 28.—Medford, 1st Ward, 2d Ward, 4th Ward, 5th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 3,266. One representative.
- 29.—Arlington and Lexington. Legal voters, 3,132. One representative.
- 30.—Belmont and Watertown. Legal voters, 3,551. One representative.
- 31.—Stoneham. Legal voters, 1,672. One representative.

**NANTUCKET COUNTY.****ONE REPRESENTATIVE.****DISTRICT**

- 1.—Nantucket. Legal voters, 838. One representative.



**NORFOLK COUNTY.**

**THIRTEEN REPRESENTATIVES.**

**DISTRICT**

- 1.—Dedham and Needham. Legal voters, 2,777. One representative.
- 2.—Brookline. Legal voters, 5,120. Two representatives.
- 3.—Hyde Park. Legal voters, 3,362. One representative.
- 4.—Canton and Milton. Legal voters, 2,702. One representative.
- 5.—Quincy, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 3d Ward. Legal voters, 3,196. One representative.
- 6.—Quincy, 4th Ward, 5th Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,813. One representative.
- 7.—Weymouth. Legal voters, 3,249. One representative.
- 8.—Avon, Braintree and Holbrook. Legal voters, 2,883. One representative.
- 9.—Randolph, Sharon and Stoughton. Legal voters, 3,086. One representative.
- 10.—Norwood, Walpole and Westwood. Legal voters, 2,614. One representative.
- 11.—Dover, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Norfolk and Wellesley. Legal voters, 2,814. One representative.
- 12.—Bellingham, Foxborough, Franklin, Plainville and Wrentham. Legal voters, 2,956. One representative.

**PLYMOUTH COUNTY.**

**TWELVE REPRESENTATIVES.**

**DISTRICT**

- 1.—Plymouth. Legal voters, 2,501. One representative.
- 2.—Duxbury, Marshfield, Norwell, Pembroke and Scituate. Legal voters, 2,644. One representative.
- 3.—Cohasset, Hingham and Hull. Legal voters, 2,367. One representative.
- 4.—Hanover, Hanson and Rockland. Legal voters, 2,867. One representative.
- 5.—Abington and Whitman. Legal voters, 3,280. One representative.
- 6.—Carver, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester and Wareham. Legal voters, 2,273. One representative.
- 7.—Halifax, Kingston, Middleborough and Plympton. Legal voters, 2,667. One representative.

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- 8.—Bridgewater, East Bridgewater and West Bridgewater. Legal voters, 2,533. One representative.
- 9.—Brockton, 3d Ward and 4th Ward. Legal voters, 3,276. One representative.
- 10.—Brockton, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 5,181. Two representatives.
- 11.—Brockton, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 3,623. One representative.

**SUFFOLK COUNTY.****FIFTY-FOUR REPRESENTATIVES.****DISTRICT**

- 1.—Boston, 1st Ward. Legal voters, 5,808. Two representatives.
- 2.—Boston, 2d Ward. Legal voters, 5,082. Two representatives.
- 3.—Boston, 3d Ward. Legal voters, 3,915. Two representatives.
- 4.—Boston, 4th Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 6,728. Three representatives.
- 5.—Chelsea, 1st Ward and 2d Ward. Legal voters, 3,132. One representative.
- 6.—Boston, 6th Ward. Legal voters, 3,994. Two representatives.
- 7.—Boston, 7th Ward. Legal voters, 3,726. One representative.
- 8.—Boston, 8th Ward. Legal voters, 5,745. Two representatives.
- 9.—Boston, 9th Ward. Legal voters, 5,392. Two representatives.
- 10.—Boston, 10th Ward. Legal voters, 6,722. Two representatives.
- 11.—Boston, 11th Ward. Legal voters, 4,654. Two representatives.
- 12.—Boston, 12th Ward. Legal voters, 6,038. Two representatives.
- 13.—Boston, 13th Ward. Legal voters, 4,380. Two representatives.
- 14.—Boston, 14th Ward. Legal voters, 5,384. Two representatives.
- 15.—Boston, 15th Ward. Legal voters, 4,744. Two representatives.
- 16.—Boston, 16th Ward. Legal voters, 5,485. Two representatives.
- 17.—Boston, 17th Ward. Legal voters, 5,759. Two representatives.
- 18.—Boston, 18th Ward. Legal voters, 5,284. Two representatives.
- 19.—Boston, 19th Ward. Legal voters, 6,660. Two representatives.
- 20.—Boston, 20th Ward. Legal voters, 10,866. Three representatives.
- 21.—Boston, 21st Ward. Legal voters, 7,003. Two representatives.
- 22.—Boston, 22d Ward. Legal voters, 6,808. Two representatives.
- 23.—Boston, 23d Ward. Legal voters, 6,227. Two representatives.
- 24.—Boston, 24th Ward. Legal voters, 7,919. Three representatives.
- 25.—Boston, 25th Ward. Legal voters, 5,312. Two representatives.

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- 26.**—Chelsea, 3d Ward and 4th Ward. Legal voters, 8,104. One representative.
- 27.**—Chelsea, 5th Ward, Revere and Winthrop. Legal voters, 6,827. Two representatives.

**WORCESTER COUNTY.****TWENTY-EIGHT REPRESENTATIVES.****DISTRICT**

- 1.**—Athol, Dana, Petersham, Phillipston and Royalston. Legal voters, 2,678. One representative.
- 2.**—Ashburnham, Gardner, Templeton and Winchendon. Legal voters, 5,175. Two representatives.
- 3.**—Barre, Holden, Hubbardston, Oakham, Princeton, Rutland, Sterling and Westminster. Legal voters, 2,828. One representative.
- 4.**—Brookfield, Hardwick, New Braintree, North Brookfield, Warren and West Brookfield. Legal voters, 2,867. One representative.
- 5.**—Charlton, Southbridge and Sturbridge. Legal voters, 2,919. One representative.
- 6.**—Auburn, Leicester, Paxton and Spencer. Legal voters, 2,961. One representative.
- 7.**—Dudley, Oxford and Webster. Legal voters, 2,872. One representative.
- 8.**—Blackstone, Douglas, Grafton, Millbury, Shrewsbury, Sutton and Uxbridge. Legal voters, 5,599. Two representatives.
- 9.**—Hopedale, Mendon, Milford, Northbridge and Upton. Legal voters, 5,420. Two representatives.
- 10.**—Berlin, Bolton, Boylston, Clinton, Northborough, Southborough, West Boylston and Westborough. Legal voters, 5,516. Two representatives.
- 11.**—Fitchburg, 6th Ward, Harvard, Lancaster, Leominster and Lunenburg. Legal voters, 5,631. Two representatives.
- 12.**—Fitchburg, 1st Ward, 2d Ward, 3d Ward, 4th Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 5,135. Two representatives.
- 13.**—Worcester, 1st Ward. Legal voters, 2,917. One representative.
- 14.**—Worcester, 2d Ward. Legal voters, 2,855. One representative.
- 15.**—Worcester, 3d Ward. Legal voters, 2,947. One representative.
- 16.**—Worcester, 4th Ward. Legal voters, 2,709. One representative.
- 17.**—Worcester, 5th Ward. Legal voters, 2,878. One representative.

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- 18.**—Worcester, 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,580. One representative.
- 19.**—Worcester, 7th Ward. Legal voters, 2,697. One representative.
- 20.**—Worcester, 8th Ward. Legal voters, 2,861. One representative.
- 21.**—Worcester, 9th Ward. Legal voters, 2,882. One representative.
- 22.**—Worcester, 10th Ward. Legal voters, 2,613. One representative.

# **CITIES AND TOWNS ALPHABETICALLY,**

WITH THE

**Congressional, Connceller, Senatorial and Representative Districts of Each.**

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Con- gres- sional.	Coun- cillor.	Senatorial.	Representative.
Abington, .	14	1	.	.
Acton, .	4	6	.	.
Acushnet, .	13	1	.	.
Adams, .	1	8	.	.
Agawam, .	1	8	and	.
Alford, .	1	8	and	8th Berkshire.
Amesbury, .	6	5	.	1st Essex.
Amherst, .	2	8	.	3d Hampshire.
Andover, .	6	5	.	9th Essex.
Arlington, .	8	6	.	29th Middlesex.
Ashburnham, .	4	7	.	2d Worcester.
Ashby, .	4	6	.	12th Middlesex.
Ashfield, .	1	8	.	1st Franklin.
Ashland, .	4	6	.	8th Middlesex.
Athol, .	2	7	.	1st Worcester.
Attleborough, .	14	2	.	1st Bristol.
Auburn, .	3	7	.	6th Worcester.

CITIES AND TOWNS		Representative.
Avon, .	folk.	
Ayer, .	ddlessex.	
Barnstable,	stable.	
Barre, .	ester.	
Becket, .	shire.	
Bedford,		
Belchertown,		
Bellingham,		
Belmont,		
Berkley, .		
Berlin,		
Bernardston,		
Beverly,		
Billerica,		
Blackstone,		
Blandford,		
Bolton, .	nden.	
	roester.	
		th Suffolk, Wards 1, 2, 3,
Boston,		5th Suffolk, Wards 6 to 25, stively. <sup>22</sup>

Bourne, . . . . .	14	1	Cape, . . . . .	1st Barnstable.
Boxborough, . . . . .	4	6	7th Middlesex, . . . . .	10th Middlesex.
Boxford, . . . . .	6	5	4th Essex, . . . . .	10th Essex.
Boylston, . . . . .	4	7	2d Worcester, . . . . .	10th Worcester.
Braintree, . . . . .	12	2	1st Norfolk, . . . . .	8th Norfolk.
Brewster, . . . . .	14	1	Cape, . . . . .	3d Barnstable.
Bridgewater, . . . . .	14	1	2d Plymouth, . . . . .	8th Plymouth.
Brimfield, . . . . .	2	7	Worcester and Hampden, . . . . .	1st Hampden.
BROCKTON, . . . . .	14	1	2d Plymouth, . . . . .	9th Plymouth, Wards 3, 4.
Brookfield, . . . . .	2	7	Worcester and Hampden, . . . . .	10th Plymouth, Wards 1, 2, 5.
Brookline, . . . . .	12	2	2d Norfolk, . . . . .	11th Plymouth, Wards 6, 7.
Buckland, . . . . .	1	8	Franklin and Hampshire, . . . . .	4th Worcester.
Burlington, . . . . .	5	6	7th Middlesex, . . . . .	2d Norfolk.
CAMBRIDGE, . . . . .	8	3†† 4‡‡	2d Suffolk, Wards 1, 2, 3, 2d Suffolk, Ward 4, 2d Middlesex, Wards 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11.	1st Middlesex, Wards 1, 2, 3. 2d Middlesex, Wards 4, 5, 6, 7. 3d Middlesex, Wards 8, 9, 10, 11.
Canton, . . . . .	12	2	1st Norfolk, . . . . .	4th Norfolk.
Carlisle, . . . . .	5	6	7th Middlesex, . . . . .	11th Middlesex.
Carver, . . . . .	14	1	1st Plymouth, . . . . .	6th Plymouth.
Charlemon, . . . . .	1	8	Franklin and Hampshire, . . . . .	1st Franklin.
Charlton, . . . . .	3	7	Worcester and Hampden, . . . . .	5th Worcester.
Chatham, . . . . .	14	1	Cape, . . . . .	2d Barnstable.

\* 9th District. Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, precincts 6 and 7 of Ward 12.  
† 15, 16, 17, 20, 24.  
‡ precincts 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Ward 12; Wards 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 25.  
§ 1, 24.  
|| 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22.  
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except the 5th, takes its number from the ward.  
‡‡ 4th District, Wards 5 to 11, inclusive.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Congressional.	Councilor.	Senatorial.	Representative.
Chelmsford, .	5	6	8th Middlesex, .	11th Middlesex.
CHELSEA, .	7	4	1st Suffolk, .	5th Suffolk, Wards 1, 2. 26th Suffolk, Wards 3, 4. 27th Suffolk, Ward 5.
Cheshire, .	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	3d Berkshire.
Chester, .	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	2d Hampden.
Chesterfield, .	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	2d Hampshire.
CHICOPEN, .	2	8	2d Hampden, .	8th Hampden.
Chilmark, .	13	1	.	.
Clarksburg, .	1	8	.	.
Clinton, .	4	7	.	.
Cohasset, .	14	1	.	.
Colrain, .	1	8	.	.
Concord, .	4	6	.	.
Conway, .	1	8	.	.
Cottage City,*	13	1	Cape, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	2d Hampshire.
Cummington, .	1	8	.	.
Dalton, .	1	8	Berkshire, .	4th Berkshire.
Dana, .	2	7	Worcester and Hampden,	1st Worcester.
Danvers, .	6	6	2d Essex, .	20th Essex.
Dartmouth, .	13	1	3d Bristol, .	6th Bristol.
Dedham, .	12	2	2d Norfolk, .	1st Norfolk.
Deerfield, .	1	8	Franklin and Hampshire, Cape, .	3d Franklin. 2d Barnstable.
Dennis, .	14	1	1st Bristol, .	5th Bristol.
Dighton, .	13	2	4th Worcester, .	8th Worcester.
Douglas, .	3	7	.	.



Dover, .	12	2	2d Norfolk,	11th Norfolk.
Dracut, .	5	6	8th Middlesex,	14th Middlesex.
Dudley, .	3	7	Worcester and Hampden,	7th Worcester.
Dunstable, .	5	6	8th Middlesex,	12th Middlesex.
Duxbury, .	14	1	1st Plymouth,	2d Plymouth.
East Bridgewater, .	14	1	1st Plymouth,	8th Plymouth.
Eastham, .	14	1	Cape, .	3d Barnstable.
Easthampton, .	2	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and	2d Hampshire.
East Longmeadow, .	2	8	Hampden,	2d Hampden.
Easton, .	14	2	1st Bristol, .	2d Bristol.
Edgartown, .	13	1	Cape, .	1st Duke.
Egremont, .	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and	8th Berkshire.
Enfield, .	2	8	Hampden,	4th Hampshire.
Erving, .	2	8	Franklin and Hampshire,	4th Franklin.
Essex, .	6	5	Franklin and Hampshire,	24th Essex.
EVERETT, .	7	4	3d Essex,	24th Middlesex.
Fairhaven, .	13	1	4th Middlesex,	6th Bristol.
FALL RIVER, .	13	1	3d Bristol, .	9th Bristol, Wards 1, 2.
Falmouth, .	14	1	2d Bristol, .	10th Bristol, Wards 3, 4, 5.
FITCHBURG, .	4	7	Cape, .	11th Bristol, Wards 6, 7, 8, 9.
Florida, .	1	8	3d Worcester,	1st Barnstable.
Foxborough, .	12	2	Berkshire, .	11th Worcester, Ward 6.
Framingham, .	4	6	2d Norfolk, .	Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.
Franklin, .	12	2	1st Middlesex,	12th Norfolk.
Freetown, .	13	1	2d Norfolk,	7th Middlesex.
			3d Bristol, .	12th Norfolk.
				6th Bristol.

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CITIES AND TOWNS.		Representative.
Gardner, .	.	rester.
Gay Head, .	.	es.
Georgetown, .	.	sex.
Gill, .	.	clin.
Gloucester, .	.	sex, Wards 4, 5, 8.
Goshen, .	.	sex, Wards 3, 6, 7.
Gosnold, .	.	sex, Wards 1, 2.
Grafton, .	.	shire.
Granby, .	.	es.
Granville, .	.	rester.
Great Barrington, .	.	upshire.
Greenfield, .	.	pten.
Greenwich, .	.	shire.
Groton, .	.	clin.
Groveland, .	.	upshire.
Hadley, .	.	ddsex.
Halifax, .	.	sex.
Hamilton, .	.	shire.
Hampden, .	.	pten.
Hancock, .	.	shire.
Hanover, .	.	mouth.
Hanson, .	.	mouth.
Hardwick, .	.	rester.
Harvard, .	.	brester.

Harwich,	.	.	14	1	1	Cape, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	2d Barnstable, 3d Hampshire.
Hatfield,	.	.	1	8	8		
HAVERHILL,	.	.	6	5	5	4th Essex, . . . . .	2, 3, 6.
Hawley, .	.	.	1	8	8	Franklin and Hampshire,	
Heath, . .	.	.	1	8	8	Franklin and Hampshire,	
Hingham,	.	.	14	1	1	1st Plymouth, . . . . .	
Hinsdale,	.	.	1	8	8	Berkshire, . . . . .	3d Berkshire.
Holbrook,	.	.	12	2	2	1st Norfolk, . . . . .	8th Norfolk.
Holden, .	.	.	3	7	7	2d Worcester, . . . . .	3d Worcester.
Holland,	.	.	2	7	7	Worcester and Hampden,	1st Hampden.
Holliston,	.	.	12	6	6	1st Middlesex, . . . . .	8th Middlesex.
HOLYOKE,	.	.	1	8	8	2d Hampden, . . . . .	9th Hampden, Wards 1, 2, 4, 10th Hampden, Wards 3, 6, 11th Hampden, Wards 5, 7.
Hopedale,	.	.	12	7	7	4th Worcester, . . . . .	9th Worcester.
Hopkinton,	.	.	12	6	6	1st Middlesex, . . . . .	8th Middlesex.
Hubbardston,	.	.	4	7	7	Worcester and Hampden,	2d Worcester.
Hudson, .	.	.	4	6	6	5th Middlesex, . . . . .	10th Middlesex.
Hull, . . .	.	.	14	1	1	1st Plymouth, . . . . .	3d Plymouth.
Huntington,	.	.	1	8	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	2d Hampshire.
Hyde Park,	.	.	12	2	2	1st Norfolk, . . . . .	3d Norfolk.
Ipewich,	.	.	6	5	5	3d Essex, . . . . .	24th Essex.
Kingston,	.	.	14	1	1	1st Plymouth, . . . . .	7th Plymouth.
Lakeville,	.	.	14	1	1	2d Plymouth, . . . . .	6th Plymouth.
Lancaster,	.	.	4	7	7	2d Worcester, . . . . .	11th Worcester.
Laneborough,	.	.	1	8	8	Berkshire, . . . . .	4th Berkshire.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Congressional.	Councilor.	Senatorial.	Representative.
LAWRENCE, .	5	5	5th Essex,	5th Essex, Wards 1, 2. 6th Essex, Wards 3, 4. 7th Essex, Ward 5. 8th Essex, Ward 6. 7th Berkshire.
Lee, .	1	8	and	
Leicester, .	3	7		6th Worcester.
Lenox, .	1	8	and	7th Berkshire.
Leominster, .	4	7		
Leverett, .	2	8		
Lexington, .	4	6		
Leyden, .	1	8		
Lincoln, .	4	6		
Littleton, .	4	6		
Longmeadow, .	2	8	and	
LOWELL, .	5	6	7th Middlesex, Wards 5, 9, 8th Middlesex, Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8.	14th Middlesex, Ward 1. 15th Middlesex, Ward 2. 16th Middlesex, Wards 4, 5, 6, 7. 17th Middlesex, Wards 3, 6, 7. 18th Middlesex, Ward 8. 19th Middlesex, Ward 9. 2d Hampden.
Ludlow, .	2	7	Worcester and Hampden,	11th Worcester.
Lunenburg, .	4	7	3d Worcester.	12th Essex, Ward 3.
LYNN, .	7	5*	1st Essex, Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7.	13th Essex, Wards 1, 5, 7. 14th Essex, Wards 2, 4.
Lynnfield, .	5	6†	7th Middlesex, Ward 6, 7th Middlesex,	15th Essex, Ward 6. 13th Essex.

MALDEN.	7	4	4th Middlesex,	.	.	.	11th Norfolk.
Manchester,	6	5	3d Essex,	.	.	.	27th Middlesex, Wards 3, 6.
Manfield,	14	2	1st Bristol,	.	.	.	28th Middlesex, Wards 1, 2, 4, 5, 7.
Marblehead,	13	3	2d Essex,	.	.	.	11th Norfolk.
Marion,	13	1	2d Plymouth,	.	.	.	22d Middlesex.
MARLBOROUGH.	6	6	5th Middlesex,	.	.	.	9th Worcester.
Marshfield,	4	1	1st Plymouth,	.	.	.	1st Essex.
Mahepee,	14	1	Cape,	.	.	.	7th Plymouth.
Mattapoisett,	13	1	2d Plymouth,	.	.	.	2d Hampshire.
Maynard,	4	6	5th Middlesex,	.	.	.	24th Essex.
Medfield,	12	2	2d Norfolk,	.	.	.	9th Worcester.
MEDFORD,	8	6	6th Middlesex,	.	.	.	11th Norfolk.
Medway,	12	2	2d Norfolk,	.	.	.	4th Worcester.
MELROSE,	7	4	4th Middlesex,	.	.	.	4th Essex.
Mendon,	12	7	4th Worcester,	.	.	.	2d Plymouth.
Merrimac,	6	5	4th Essex,	.	.	.	Berkshire, Hampshire and
Methuen,	5	5	5th Essex,	.	.	.	Hampden.
Middleborough,	14	1	2d Plymouth,	.	.	.	4th Essex.
Middlefield,	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and	.	.	.	4th Worcester.
Middleton,	6	5	Hampden.	.	.	.	8th Worcester.
Milford,	12	7	4th Essex,	.	.	.	11th Norfolk.
Millbury,	3	7	4th Worcester,	.	.	.	4th Norfolk.
Mills,	12	2		.	.	.	1st Franklin.
Milton,	10	2		.	.	.	1st Hampden.
Mourne,	1	8		.	.	.	3d Franklin.
Monroe,	2	7		.	.	.	7th Berkshire.
Monson,	2	8		.	.	.	
Montague,	1	8		.	.	.	
Monterey,				.	.	.	

\* 5th District, Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7.

† 6th District, Ward 6.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Con- gres- sional.	Coun- cillor.	Representative.
Montgomery. . .	1	8	2d Hampden.
Mount Washington. .	1	8	8th Berkshire.
Nahant. . .	7	5	14th Essex.
Nantucket. . .	13	1	1st Nantucket.
Natick. . .	4	6	9th Middlesex.
Needham. . .	12	3	1st Norfolk.
New Ashford. . .	1	3	3d Berkshire.
NEW BEDFORD. . .	13	1	7th Bristol, Wards 1, 2, 3.
New Braintree. . .	2	7	8th Bristol, Wards 4, 5, 6.
Newbury. . .	6	5	4th Worcester.
NEWBURYPORT. . .	6	5	26th Essex.
New Marlborough. .	1	8	25th Essex, Wards 1, 2, 3, 4.
New Salem. . .	2	8	26th Essex, Wards 5, 6.
NEWTON. . .	12	6	7th Berkshire.
Norfolk. . .	12	3	4th Franklin.
NORTH ADAMS. . .	1	8	4th Middlesex.
NORTHAMPTON. . .	2	8	11th Norfolk.
North Andover. . .	5	5	1st Berkshire, Wards 3, 4, 5.
North Attleborough. .	12	3	2d Berkshire, Wards 1, 2, 6, 7.
Northborough. . .	4	7	1st Hampshire.
Northbridge. . .	3	7	10th Essex.
North Brookfield. .	2	7	1st Bristol.
			10th Worcester.
			9th Worcester.
			4th Worcester.



Cities	Representative.
Quincy,	Wards 1, 2, 3. Wards 4, 5, 6.
Randolph	xx.
Raynham	.
Reading,	1.
Rehoboth	1.
Revere,	.
Richmon	.
Rochester	Wards 1, 2. Wards 3, 5. Wards 4, 6.
Rockland	.
Rockport	.
Rowe,	.
Rowley,	.
Royalston	.
Russell,	.
Rutland,	.
SALEM,	.
Salisbury	.
Sandisfield	.
Sandwich	.
Saugus,	.
Savoy,	.
Scituate,	.



Seekonk, .	13	2	1st Bristol, .	1st Bristol.
Sharon, .	13	2	2d Norfolk, .	9th Norfolk.
Sheffield, .	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	8th Berkshire.
Shelburne, .	1	8	Franklin and Hampshire, .	1st Franklin.
Sherborn, .	12	6	1st Middlesex, .	8th Middlesex.
Shirley, .	4	6	8th Middlesex, .	12th Middlesex.
Shrewsbury, .	3	7	4th Worcester, .	8th Worcester.
Shutesbury, .	2	8	Franklin and Hampshire, .	4th Franklin.
Somerset, .	13	1	2d Bristol, .	11th Bristol.
SOMERVILLE, .	8	4	3d Middlesex, .	26th Middlesex, Wards 1, 3, 4, 5.
Southampton, .	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	26th Middlesex, Wards 2, 6, 7.
Southborough, .	4	7	4th Worcester, .	2d Hampshire.
Southbridge, .	3	7	Worcester and Hampden, .	10th Worcester.
South Hadley, .	2	8	Franklin and Hampshire, .	5th Worcester.
Southwick, .	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	3d Hampshire.
Spencer, .	3	7	Worcester and Hampden, .	2d Hampden.
SPRINGFIELD, .	2	8	1st Hampden, .	6th Worcester.
Sterling, .	4	7	2d Worcester, .	3d Hampden, Ward 1.
Stockbridge, .	1	8	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	4th Hampden, Wards 2, 3.
Stoneham, .	7	6	8th .	5th Hampden, Wards 4, 5, 6.
Stoughton, .	12	2	2d 1	6th Hampden, Ward 7.
Stow, .	4	6	5th	7th Hampden, Ward 8.
Sturbridge, .	3	7	Wor	3d Worcester.
Sudbury, .	4	6	5th	5th Berkshire.



Warwick,	.	2	8	Franklin and Hampshire, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	4th Franklin. 7th Berkshire.
Washington,	.	1	8	1st Middlesex, 5th Middlesex, 4th Worcester, 2d Norfolk, Cape, Franklin and Hampshire, 3d Essex, 4th Worcester, 2d Worcester, 2d Plymouth, Worcester and Hampden, 2d Hampden, 7th Middlesex, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	30th Middlesex. 13th Middlesex. 7th Worcester. 11th Norfolk. 3d Barnstable. 4th Franklin. 24th Essex. 10th Worcester. 10th Worcester. 8th Plymouth. 4th Worcester. 12th Hampden. 11th Middlesex. 2d Hampshire.
Watertown,	.	12	6	3d Worcester,	3d Worcester.
Wayland,	.	4	6	3d Essex,	26th Essex.
Webster,	.	3	6	1st Middlesex,	13th Middlesex.
Wellesley,	.	12	7	3d Bristol,	9th Bristol.
Wellfleet,	.	14	2	2d Hampden,	2d Hampden.
Wendell,	.	2	1	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	8th Berkshire.
Wenham,	.	6	8	Cape,	1st Dukes.
Westborough,	.	3	2	2d Norfolk,	10th Norfolk.
West Boylston,	.	3	2	1st Norfolk,	7th Norfolk.
West Bridgewater,	.	14	8	Franklin and Hampshire,	1st Franklin.
West Brookfield,	.	2	1	1st Plymouth,	5th Plymouth.
Westfield,	.	1	7	Worcester and Hampden, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	2d Hampden.
Westford,	.	4	8	1st Plymouth,	2d Hampshire.
Westhampton,	.	1	8	Worcester and Hampshire, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	
Westminster,	.	4	7	Worcester,	
West Newbury,	.	6	5	3d Worcester,	
Weston,	.	4	6	3d Essex,	
Westport,	.	13	1	1st Middlesex,	
West Springfield,	.	1	8	3d Bristol,	
West Stockbridge,	.	1	8	2d Hampden,	
West Tisbury,	.	13	1	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	
Westwood,	.	12	1	Cape,	
Weymouth,	.	12	2	2d Norfolk,	
Whately,	.	1	2	1st Norfolk,	
Whitman,	.	14	8	Franklin and Hampshire,	
Wilbraham,	.	2	1	1st Plymouth,	
Williamsburg,	.	1	7	Worcester and Hampden, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	
	.	1	8	Worcester and Hampshire, Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Con- gres- sional.	Coun- cilor.	
Williamstown, .	1	Berkshire, .	4th Berkshire.
Wilmington, .	5	7th Middlesex, .	
Winchendon, .	4	3d Worcester, .	
Winchester, .	8	6th Middlesex, .	
Windsor, .	1	Berkshire, .	
Winthrop, .	9	1st Suffolk, .	
WOBURN, .	8	6th Middlesex, .	
WORCESTER, .	3	1st Worcester, Wards 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.	20th Middlesex. Ward 1. 13th Worcester, Ward 2. 14th Worcester, Ward 3. 15th Worcester, Ward 4. 16th Worcester, Ward 5. 17th Worcester, Ward 6. 18th Worcester, Ward 7. 19th Worcester, Ward 8. 20th Worcester, Ward 9. 21st Worcester, Ward 10.
		2d Worcester, Wards 1, 2, 3,	
Worthington, .	1	Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	
Wrentham, .	12	2d Norfolk, .	12th Norfolk.
Yarmouth, .	14	Cape, .	2d Barnstable.

## VALUATION OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

[Established by Chapter 178 of the Acts of 1904.\* See Revised Laws, Chapter 12, Sections 100 and 101.]

## BARNSTABLE COUNTY.

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Barnstable, . . . .	1,033	\$5,407,775 00	\$1 55
Bourne, . . . .	504	2,742,060 00	79
Brewster, . . . .	216	579,011 00	18
Chatham, . . . .	552	1,032,726 00	83
Dennis, . . . .	616	1,204,500 00	89
Eastham, . . . .	155	345,567 00	11
Falmouth, . . . .	950	8,887,794 00	2 48
Harwich, . . . .	641	1,186,519 00	38
Mashpee, . . . .	88	176,197 00	06
Orleans, . . . .	306	667,745 00	21
Provincetown, . . . .	1,100	2,003,115 00	65
Sandwich, . . . .	351	1,014,359 00	31
Truro, . . . .	198	373,524 00	12
Wellfleet, . . . .	292	1,023,581 00	30
Yarmouth, . . . .	481	2,063,048 00	60
Totals, . . . .	7,483	\$28,707,521 00	\$8 46

## BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

Adams, . . . .	2,818	\$5,939,677 00	\$1 88
Alford, . . . .	92	171,612 00	06
Becket, . . . .	818	475,987 00	16
Cheshire, . . . .	853	726,335 00	23
Clarksburg, . . . .	299	250,776 00	10
Dalton, . . . .	813	3,748,229 00	1 09
Egremont, . . . .	228	468,932 00	15
Florida, . . . .	135	151,200 00	05

\* This schedule constitutes the basis of apportionment for State and county taxes until the year 1907, when a new apportionment will be made.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY — *Concluded.*

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Great Barrington, . . .	1,683	\$5,471,623 00	\$1 64
Hancock, . . . . .	114	291,578 00	09
Hinsdale, . . . . .	377	640,150 00	21
Lanesborough, . . . .	237	469,157 00	15
Lee, . . . . .	1,027	1,996,096 00	64
Lenox, . . . . .	843	4,547,227 00	1 30
Monterey, . . . . .	126	244,209 00	08
Mount Washington, . .	22	92,102 00	03
New Ashford, . . . . .	39	54,088 00	02
New Marlborough, . . .	311	563,954 00	18
NORTH ADAMS, . . . . .	5,657	15,471,436 00	4 72
Otis, . . . . .	164	229,347 00	08
Peru, . . . . .	92	120,960 00	04
PITTSFIELD, . . . . .	6,442	18,213,606 00	5 53
Richmond, . . . . .	168	339,748 00	11
Sandisfield, . . . . .	188	311,018 00	10
Savoy, . . . . .	151	168,983 00	06
Sheffield, . . . . .	492	966,891 00	31
Stockbridge, . . . . .	506	3,932,706 00	1 11
Tyringham, . . . . .	104	237,225 00	07
Washington, . . . . .	99	269,336 00	08
West Stockbridge, . . .	294	414,390 00	14
Williamstown, . . . . .	1,027	2,884,204 00	58
Windsor, . . . . .	141	201,596 00	07
Totals, . . . . .	25,360	\$70,064,378 00	\$21 36

## BRISTOL COUNTY.

Acushnet, . . . . .	298	\$677,072 00	\$0 21
Attleborough, . . . . .	3,573	9,179,918 00	2 82
Berkley, . . . . .	243	437,589 00	14
Dartmouth, . . . . .	748	3,340,642 00	97
Dighton, . . . . .	483	919,169 00	30
Easton, . . . . .	1,412	5,662,247 00	1 66
Fairhaven, . . . . .	1,090	3,183,253 00	96
FALL RIVER, . . . . .	29,701	79,959,290 00	24 41
Freetown, . . . . .	378	883,648 00	28
Mansfield, . . . . .	1,096	2,160,207 00	69
NEW BEDFORD, . . . . .	17,934	67,316,478 00	19 85
North Attleborough, . .	2,202	4,236,071 00	1 36
Norton, . . . . .	489	991,471 00	32
Raynham, . . . . .	432	830,047 00	27
Rehoboth, . . . . .	453	810,918 00	26

BRISTOL COUNTY — *Concluded.*

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Seekonk, . . . .	445	\$1,033,876 00	\$0 32
Somerset, . . . .	623	1,136,948 00	87
Swansea, . . . .	526	1,277,405 00	40
TAUNTON, . . . .	8,631	23,950,795 00	7 29
Westport, . . . .	785	1,728,821 00	54
Totals, . . . .	71,542	\$209,715,865 00	\$63 42

## COUNTY OF DUKES COUNTY.

Chilmark, . . . .	109	\$248,242 00	\$0 08
Cottage City,* . . . .	243	1,674,910 00	47
Edgartown, . . . .	379	954,655 00	29
Gay Head, . . . .	44	37,342 00	01
Gosnold, . . . .	40	241,065 00	07
Tisbury, . . . .	291	1,102,293 00	33
West Tisbury, . . . .	152	428,460 00	13
Totals, . . . .	1,258	\$4,686,967 00	\$1 38

## ESSEX COUNTY.

Amesbury, . . . .	2,719	\$5,543,266 00	\$1 76
Andover, . . . .	1,691	6,689,317 00	1 96
BEVERLY, . . . .	3,906	20,645,421 00	5 93
Boxford, . . . .	220	1,079,539 00	31
Danvers, . . . .	2,241	5,569,387 00	1 72
Essex, . . . .	491	1,170,613 00	36
Georgetown, . . . .	549	973,440 00	32
GLOUCESTER, . . . .	8,322	21,387,591 00	6 57
Groveland, . . . .	643	1,053,290 00	35
Hamilton, . . . .	879	3,197,519 00	90
HAVERHILL, . . . .	11,157	27,781,767 00	8 57
Ipswich, . . . .	1,160	4,428,095 00	1 30
LAWRENCE, . . . .	17,773	43,985,507 00	13 57
LYNN, . . . .	22,972	56,046,713 00	17 33
Lynnfield, . . . .	271	746,118 00	23
Manchester, . . . .	736	12,489,317 00	3 42
Marblehead, . . . .	2,145	7,462,286 00	2 22
Merrimac, . . . .	620	1,335,909 00	42
Methuen, . . . .	2,136	5,213,053 00	1 61

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## ESSEX COUNTY — Concluded.

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Middleton, . . . .	249	\$619,161 00	\$0 19
Nahant, . . . .	295	7,536,334 00	2 05
Newbury, . . . .	419	1,299,179 00	39
NEWBURYPORT, . . . .	4,447	11,552,058 00	8 54
North Andover, . . . .	1,264	5,667,077 00	1 64
Peabody, . . . .	3,446	8,540,442 00	2 64
Rockport, . . . .	1,187	3,072,779 00	94
Rowley, . . . .	393	769,783 00	25
SALEM, . . . .	10,134	31,726,350 00	9 52
Salisbury, . . . .	448	803,231 00	26
Saugus, . . . .	1,508	4,259,952 00	1 29
Swampscott, . . . .	1,275	10,897,853 00	3 05
Topsfield, . . . .	272	1,118,907 00	33
Wenham, . . . .	250	3,794,766 00	1 04
West Newbury, . . . .	486	1,116,271 00	35
Totals, . . . .	106,204	\$319,572,291 00	\$96 33

## FRANKLIN COUNTY.

Ashfield, . . . .	280	\$587,086 00	\$0 19
Bernardston, . . . .	221	444,255 00	14
Buckland, . . . .	435	599,908 00	20
Charlemont, . . . .	308	373,848 00	13
Colrain, . . . .	468	655,071 00	22
Conway, . . . .	369	720,864 00	23
Deerfield, . . . .	712	1,472,945 00	47
Erving, . . . .	320	583,601 00	19
Gill, . . . .	218	457,043 00	14
Greenfield, . . . .	2,687	7,307,628 00	2 23
Hawley, . . . .	118	152,736 00	03
Heath, . . . .	127	154,552 00	05
Leverett, . . . .	204	295,807 00	10
Leyden, . . . .	98	223,617 00	07
Monroe, . . . .	103	147,584 00	05
Montague, . . . .	1,809	3,935,492 00	1 24
New Salem, . . . .	204	314,513 00	11
Northfield, . . . .	444	1,317,594 00	40
Orange, . . . .	1,699	3,672,198 00	1 16
Rowe, . . . .	148	157,828 00	06
Shelburne, . . . .	421	959,200 00	30
Shutesbury, . . . .	94	199,299 00	06
Sunderland, . . . .	276	477,971 00	16
Warwick, . . . .	138	332,274 00	10



FRANKLIN COUNTY — *Concluded.*

Towns.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Wendell, . . . .	148	\$233,672 00	\$0 08
Whately, . . . .	283	449,628 00	15
Totals, . . . .	12,332	\$26,226,214 00	\$8 28

## HAMPDEN COUNTY.

Agawam, . . . .	767	\$1,564,918 00	\$0 50
Blandford, . . . .	204	455,781 00	14
Brimfield, . . . .	249	405,520 00	13
Chester, . . . .	377	637,252 00	21
CHICOPEE, . . . .	5,169	10,804,024 00	3 28
East Longmeadow, . . . .	344	524,790 00	18
Granville, . . . .	231	897,778 00	13
Hampden, . . . .	223	886,364 00	13
Holland, . . . .	84	77,063 00	02
HOLYOKE, . . . .	11,631	43,817,565 00	12 91
Longmeadow, . . . .	230	1,136,926 00	33
Ludlow, . . . .	804	2,402,790 00	73
Monson, . . . .	1,093	2,087,347 00	67
Montgomery, . . . .	78	137,029 00	04
Palmer, . . . .	2,047	8,181,467 00	1 06
Russell, . . . .	173	548,356 00	16
Southwick, . . . .	259	527,916 00	17
SPRINGFIELD, . . . .	19,618	84,926,055 00	24 74
Tolland, . . . .	70	160,086 00	05
Wales, . . . .	247	236,082 00	10
West Springfield, . . . .	2,022	6,101,972 00	1 84
Westfield, . . . .	3,533	9,268,284 00	2 84
Wilbraham, . . . .	399	1,046,981 00	32
Totals, . . . .	49,802	\$170,882,311 00	\$50 68

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.

Amherst, . . . .	1,317	\$3,761,341 00	\$1 14
Belchertown, . . . .	533	876,796 00	29
Chesterfield, . . . .	172	296,299 00	10
Cummington, . . . .	217	803,693 00	10
Easthampton, . . . .	1,465	3,839,493 00	1 18
Enfield, . . . .	284	917,766 00	27
Goshen, . . . .	78	149,201 00	05

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY — *Concluded.*

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Granby, . . . .	207	\$500,999 00	\$0 16
Greenwich, . . . .	141	251,426 00	08
Hadley, . . . .	590	1,150,710 00	37
Hatfield, . . . .	565	1,391,099 00	43
Huntington, . . . .	383	590,307 00	20
Middlefield, . . . .	99	198,126 00	06
NORTHAMPTON, . . . .	4,529	13,435,227 00	4 06
Pelham, . . . .	102	208,691 00	07
Plainfield, . . . .	127	181,129 00	06
Prescott, . . . .	104	173,713 00	06
South Hadley, . . . .	1,030	3,016,311 00	91
Southampton, . . . .	251	501,266 00	16
Ware, . . . .	2,082	4,813,952 00	1 50
Westhampton, . . . .	117	238,450 00	08
Williamsburg, . . . .	512	920,392 00	30
Worthington, . . . .	183	319,673 00	10
Totals, . . . .	15,088	\$38,036,060 00	\$11 73

## MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

Acton, . . . .	710	\$1,964,092 00	\$0 60
Arlington, . . . .	2,505	10,308,560 00	3 02
Ashby, . . . .	275	705,258 00	22
Ashland, . . . .	424	1,014,022 00	31
Ayer, . . . .	798	1,695,360 00	53
Bedford, . . . .	285	1,269,358 00	37
Belmont, . . . .	1,104	6,278,506 00	1 79
Billerica, . . . .	675	2,574,887 00	76
Boxborough, . . . .	91	234,389 00	07
Burlington, . . . .	176	565,631 00	17
CAMBRIDGE, . . . .	25,749	110,858,351 00	32 31
Carlisle, . . . .	148	405,065 00	12
Chelmsford, . . . .	1,229	3,161,852 00	97
Concord, . . . .	1,441	6,077,026 00	1 77
Dracut, . . . .	915	2,124,587 00	66
Dunstable, . . . .	114	324,546 00	10
EVERETT, . . . .	8,009	21,264,833 00	6 50
Framingham, . . . .	3,089	10,450,611 00	3 11
Groton, . . . .	538	3,440,307 00	98
Holliston, . . . .	787	1,590,766 00	51
Hopkinton, . . . .	802	1,741,156 00	55
Hudson, . . . .	1,797	3,501,366 00	1 12
Lexington, . . . .	1,309	6,547,367 00	1 87
Lincoln, . . . .	320	2,783,578 00	78

MIDDLESEX COUNTY — *Concluded.*

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Littleton, . . . .	361	\$1,009,581 00	\$0 31
LOWELL,* . . . .	24,043	77,599,647 00	23 22
MALDEN, . . . .	10,166	83,087,338 00	9 89
MARLBOROUGH, . . . .	4,064	9,891,208 00	3 06
Maynard, . . . .	1,884	8,188,900 00	1 04
MEDFORD, . . . .	5,354	22,169,475 00	6 48
MELROSE, . . . .	4,052	15,827,907 00	4 65
Natick, . . . .	2,980	6,511,264 00	2 04
NEWTON, . . . .	9,613	71,356,289 00	20 10
North Reading, . . . .	270	672,302 00	21
Pepperell, . . . .	974	2,281,112 00	71
Reading, . . . .	1,578	4,870,853 00	1 46
Sherborn, . . . .	292	853,144 00	26
Shirley, . . . .	445	952,352 00	30
SOMERVILLE, . . . .	18,381	58,777,146 00	17 60
Stoneham, . . . .	2,009	5,166,724 00	1 59
Stow, . . . .	303	823,321 00	25
Sudbury, . . . .	357	1,268,887 00	88
Tewksbury,* . . . .	719	1,810,638 00	56
Townsend, . . . .	550	1,258,074 00	39
Tyngsborough, . . . .	240	489,230 00	16
Wakefield, . . . .	2,815	8,412,917 00	2 54
WALTHAM, . . . .	6,950	23,297,415 00	6 94
Watertown, . . . .	3,108	12,921,271 00	3 78
Wayland, . . . .	642	1,921,710 00	58
Westford, . . . .	681	2,003,709 00	61
Weston, . . . .	575	6,990,891 00	1 93
Wilmington, . . . .	444	1,217,315 00	37
Winchester, . . . .	2,050	10,801,591 00	8 13
WOBURN, . . . .	4,077	11,406,100 00	8 47
Totals, . . . .	163,267	\$599,838,280 00	\$177 20

## NANTUCKET COUNTY.

Nantucket, . . . .	853	\$3,570,966 00	\$1 04
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## NORFOLK COUNTY.

Avon, . . . .	562	\$915,157 00	\$0 30
Bellingham, . . . .	421	797,829 00	26
Braintree, . . . .	1,821	5,296,060 00	1 60

\* Part of Tewksbury annexed to Lowell, April 30, 1906.

NORFOLK COUNTY — *Concluded.*

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One tenth of Mill Each.
Brookline, . . . .	6,134	\$102,306,308 00	\$28 05
Canton, . . . .	1,108	4,231,865 00	1 25
Cohasset, . . . .	636	7,528,491 00	2 08
Dedham, . . . .	2,138	11,599,310 00	3 33
Dover, . . . .	179	1,147,374 00	33
Foxborough, . . . .	839	2,043,403 00	63
Franklin, . . . .	1,277	3,744,312 00	1 13
Holbrook, . . . .	737	1,458,819 00	47
Hyde Park, . . . .	3,522	12,415,331 00	3 68
Medfield, . . . .	494	1,683,194 00	50
Medway, . . . .	738	1,436,959 00	46
Millis, . . . .	276	718,104 00	22
Milton, . . . .	1,841	25,435,822 00	7 01
Needham, . . . .	1,204	4,291,373 00	1 27
Norfolk, . . . .	283	623,345 00	20
Norwood, . . . .	1,926	5,303,614 00	1 62
Plainville,* . . . .	—	—	—
QUINCY, . . . .	8,136	23,894,528 00	7 22
Randolph, . . . .	1,116	2,303,589 00	73
Sharon, . . . .	522	2,089,529 00	61
Stoughton, . . . .	1,618	3,332,400 00	1 06
Walpole, . . . .	1,068	3,161,871 00	95
Wellesley, . . . .	1,144	12,003,903 00	3 33
Westwood, . . . .	295	2,240,713 00	63
Weymouth, . . . .	3,348	7,118,489 00	2 24
Wrentham,* . . . .	779	1,722,947 00	54
Totals, . . . .	44,162	\$250,844,139 00	\$71 70

## PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

Abington, . . . .	1,478	\$2,592,248 00	\$0 84
Bridgewater, . . . .	1,342	2,762,046 00	88
BROCKTON, . . . .	13,737	32,040,921 00	9 97
Carver, . . . .	253	1,441,633 00	41
Duxbury, . . . .	574	1,968,740 00	59
East Bridgewater, . . . .	916	1,843,176 00	59
Halifax, . . . .	162	307,189 00	10
Hanover, . . . .	602	1,490,334 00	46
Hanson, . . . .	407	724,638 00	24
Hingham, . . . .	1,204	5,013,203 00	1 47
Hull, . . . .	383	4,384,234 00	1 21
Kingston, . . . .	538	1,703,333 00	51
Lakeville, . . . .	275	652,931 00	20
Marion, . . . .	330	1,631,346 00	47

\* Plainville was incorporated from a part of Wrentham, April 4, 1905.

PLYMOUTH COUNTY — *Concluded.*

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Marshfield, . . . .	504	\$1,741,198 00	\$0 52
Mattapoisett, . . . .	299	1,887,634 00	54
Middleborough, . . . .	2,027	4,494,400 00	1 41
Norwell, . . . .	476	1,285,858 00	39
Pembroke, . . . .	374	860,294 00	27
Plymouth, . . . .	2,865	9,917,655 00	2 95
Plympton, . . . .	156	338,550 00	11
Rochester, . . . .	243	519,760 00	16
Rockland, . . . .	1,822	3,395,304 00	1 09
Scituate, . . . .	750	3,422,951 00	99
Wareham, . . . .	992	3,105,761 00	93
West Bridgewater, . . . .	511	1,131,811 00	35
Whitman, . . . .	1,992	3,882,732 00	1 24
Totals, . . . .	35,212	\$94,539,878 00	\$28 89

## SUFFOLK COUNTY.

BOSTON, . . . .	178,905	\$1,276,393,246 00	\$360 05
CHELSEA, . . . .	10,231	24,664,023 00	7 64
Revere, . . . .	3,398	11,950,017 00	3 54
Winthrop, . . . .	1,973	8,725,731 00	2 54
Totals, . . . .	194,507	\$1,821,733,017 00	\$373 77

## WORCESTER COUNTY.

Ashburnham, . . . .	433	\$1,020,818 00	\$0 32
Athol, . . . .	2,178	4,498,961 00	1 42
Auburn, . . . .	488	827,805 00	27
Barre, . . . .	621	1,557,049 00	48
Berlin, . . . .	270	550,798 00	18
Blackstone, . . . .	1,525	2,550,747 00	84
Bolton, . . . .	240	494,135 00	16
Boylston, . . . .	355	437,008 00	15
Brookfield, . . . .	696	1,382,240 00	44
Charlton, . . . .	754	1,325,745 00	43
Clinton, . . . .	8,673	8,260,249 00	2 58
Dana, . . . .	222	874,387 00	12
Douglas, . . . .	598	1,110,395 00	36
Dudley, . . . .	812	1,431,395 00	47

WORCESTER COUNTY — *Concluded.*

TOWNS.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
FITCHBURG, . . . .	8,790	\$26,965,153 00	\$8 11
Gardner, . . . .	3,598	6,469,646 00	2 10
Grafton, . . . .	1,203	2,543,046 00	80
Hardwick, . . . .	796	1,685,674 00	53
Harvard, . . . .	330	1,219,553 00	36
Holden, . . . .	664	1,436,191 00	45
Hopedale, . . . .	778	5,458,162 00	1 54
Hubbardston, . . . .	364	648,302 00	21
Lancaster, . . . .	578	3,812,574 00	1 08
Leicester, . . . .	895	2,653,405 00	80
Leominster, . . . .	3,972	9,557,484 00	2 96
Lunenburg, . . . .	323	959,775 00	29
Mendon, . . . .	273	629,942 00	20
Milford, . . . .	3,678	6,317,135 00	2 06
Millbury, . . . .	1,215	2,283,401 00	73
New Braintree, . . . .	155	419,019 00	13
North Brookfield, . . . .	765	1,728,240 00	54
Northborough, . . . .	536	1,374,127 00	42
Northbridge, . . . .	2,218	4,920,275 00	1 54
Oakham, . . . .	169	329,895 00	11
Oxford, . . . .	872	1,722,150 00	55
Paxton, . . . .	109	310,051 00	09
Petersham, . . . .	234	716,955 00	22
Phillipston, . . . .	115	287,908 00	09
Princeton, . . . .	303	914,227 00	28
Royalston, . . . .	301	598,375 00	19
Rutland, . . . .	316	688,310 00	22
Shrewsbury, . . . .	517	1,361,886 00	42
Southborough, . . . .	479	1,910,999 00	56
Southbridge, . . . .	2,800	5,324,110 00	1 71
Spencer, . . . .	1,838	3,990,449 00	1 25
Sterling, . . . .	394	908,492 00	28
Sturbridge, . . . .	530	981,333 00	32
Sutton, . . . .	720	1,250,890 00	41
Templeton, . . . .	1,171	1,509,008 00	52
Upton, . . . .	589	1,117,288 00	36
Uxbridge, . . . .	1,200	2,784,031 00	87
Warren, . . . .	1,331	1,957,283 00	66
Webster, . . . .	2,425	6,945,650 00	2 11
West Boylston, . . . .	530	721,802 00	25
West Brookfield, . . . .	394	915,398 00	28
Westborough, . . . .	1,231	3,057,693 00	94
Westminster, . . . .	411	771,157 00	25
Winchendon, . . . .	1,645	2,967,127 00	96
WORCESTER, . . . .	35,684	131,334,238 00	38 79
Totals, . . . .	100,299	\$282,279,541 00	\$85 76

## RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	Polls.	Property.	Tax of \$1,000, includ'g Polls at One-tenth of Mill Each.
Barnstable, . . . .	7,483	\$28,707,521 00	\$8 46
Berkshire, . . . .	25,360	70,064,378 00	21 86
Bristol, . . . .	71,542	209,715,865 00	63 42
Dukes County, . . . .	1,258	4,686,967 00	1 88
Essex, . . . .	106,204	319,572,291 00	96 33
Franklin, . . . .	12,832	26,226,214 00	8 28
Hampden, . . . .	49,802	170,382,311 00	50 68
Hampshire, . . . .	15,088	38,036,060 00	11 73
Middlesex, . . . .	163,267	599,838,280 00	177 20
Nantucket, . . . .	853	3,570,966 00	1 04
Norfolk, . . . .	44,162	250,844,139 00	71 70
Plymouth, . . . .	35,212	94,539,878 00	28 89
Suffolk, . . . .	194,507	1,321,733,017 00	373 77
Worcester, . . . .	100,299	282,279,541 00	85 76
Totals, . . . .	827,369	\$3,420,197,428 00	\$1,000 00

**A LIST**

**OF THE COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS IN THE COMMONWEALTH,  
WITH THE CENSUS OF INHABITANTS IN 1900 AND 1905, AND  
OF LEGAL VOTERS IN 1905, REVISED AND CORRECTED BY THE  
BUREAU OF STATISTICS OF LABOR.**

**ALSO, A LIST OF REGISTERED VOTERS IN 1906, PREPARED BY THE  
SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH.**

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters 1905	Regis- tered Voters 1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
BARNSTABLE.				
Barnstable, . . . . .	4,364	4,336	1,185	1,098
Bourne, . . . . .	1,657	1,786	491	459
Brewster, . . . . .	829	739	222	230
Chatham, . . . . .	1,749	1,634	531	525
Dennis, . . . . .	2,333	1,998	582	588
Eastham, . . . . .	502	519	157	150
Falmouth, . . . . .	3,500	3,241	820	805
Harwich, . . . . .	2,334	2,291	598	564
Mashpee, . . . . .	303	317	95	93
Orleans, . . . . .	1,123	1,052	317	260
Provincetown, . . . . .	4,247	4,362	913	692
Sandwich, . . . . .	1,448	1,433	374	335
Truro, . . . . .	767	743	165	143
Wellfleet, . . . . .	988	958	315	287
Yarmouth, . . . . .	1,682	1,422	438	397
Totals, . . . . .	27,826	26,831	7,203	6,626
BERKSHIRE.				
Adams, . . . . .	11,134	12,486	2,115	1,781
Alford, . . . . .	272	275	76	59
Becket, . . . . .	994	890	229	209
Cheshire, . . . . .	1,221	1,281	334	306
Clarksburg, . . . . .	943	1,200	218	173
Dalton, . . . . .	3,014	3,122	765	708
Egremont, . . . . .	758	721	221	186
Florida, . . . . .	390	424	92	85
Great Barrington, . . . . .	5,854	6,152	1,508	1,327
Hancock, . . . . .	451	434	117	101
Hinsdale, . . . . .	1,485	1,452	312	269
Lanesborough, . . . . .	780	845	259	185



COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters  1905	Regis- tered Voters  1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
BERKSHIRE — <i>Con.</i>				
Lee, . . . . .	3,596	3,972	955	959
Lenox, . . . . .	2,942	3,058	701	632
Monterey, . . . . .	455	444	103	92
Mount Washington, . . . . .	122	87	22	18
New Ashford, . . . . .	107	100	37	32
New Marlborough, . . . . .	1,282	1,209	351	264
NORTH ADAMS, . . . . .	24,200	22,150	4,625	3,666
Otis, . . . . .	476	534	156	132
Peru, . . . . .	253	268	68	69
PITTSFIELD, . . . . .	21,766	25,001	6,127	5,536
Richmond, . . . . .	679	601	145	120
Sandisfield, . . . . .	661	657	188	141
Savoy, . . . . .	506	549	147	129
Sheffield, . . . . .	1,804	1,782	486	396
Stockbridge, . . . . .	2,081	2,022	538	468
Tyringham, . . . . .	386	314	93	103
Washington, . . . . .	377	339	74	70
West Stockbridge, . . . . .	1,158	1,023	301	260
Williamstown, . . . . .	5,013	4,425	1,108	887
Windsor, . . . . .	507	513	147	122
Totals, . . . . .	95,667	98,330	22,618	19,435
BRISTOL.				
Acushnet, . . . . .	1,221	1,284	319	222
Attleborough, . . . . .	11,335	12,702	2,880	2,442
Berkley, . . . . .	949	931	216	179
Dartmouth, . . . . .	3,669	3,793	875	630
Dighton, . . . . .	1,802	2,070	443	343
Easton, . . . . .	4,837	4,909	1,242	1,077
Fairhaven, . . . . .	3,567	4,235	951	761
FALL RIVER, . . . . .	104,863	105,762	17,825	15,105
Freetown, . . . . .	1,394	1,470	357	256
Mansfield, . . . . .	4,006	4,245	1,153	986
NEW BEDFORD, . . . . .	62,442	74,362	12,939	10,938
North Attleborough, . . . . .	7,253	7,878	2,052	1,752
Norton, . . . . .	1,826	2,079	511	419
Raynham, . . . . .	1,540	1,662	387	281
Rehoboth, . . . . .	1,840	1,991	438	321
Seekonk, . . . . .	1,673	1,917	428	304
Somerset, . . . . .	2,241	2,294	513	403
Swansea, . . . . .	1,645	1,839	453	396
TAUNTON, . . . . .	31,036	30,967	6,681	6,271
Westport, . . . . .	2,890	2,867	705	482
Totals, . . . . .	252,029	269,257	51,368	43,568

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters 1905	Regis- tered Voters 1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
DUKES COUNTY.				
Chilmark, . . . . .	324	322	100	107
Cottage City,* . . . . .	1,100	1,138	210	225
Edgartown, . . . . .	1,209	1,175	324	321
Gay Head, . . . . .	173	178	47	40
Gosnold, . . . . .	164	161	49	31
Tisbury, . . . . .	1,149	1,120	293	282
West Tisbury, . . . . .	442	457	127	119
Totals, . . . . .	4,561	4,551	1,150	1,125
ESSEX.				
Amesbury, . . . . .	9,473	8,840	2,211	1,920
Andover, . . . . .	6,813	6,632	1,523	1,360
BEVERLY, . . . . .	13,884	15,223	3,782	3,399
Boxford, . . . . .	704	665	180	167
Danvers, . . . . .	8,542	9,063	2,054	1,830
Essex, . . . . .	1,663	1,790	488	433
Georgetown, . . . . .	1,900	1,840	544	514
GLOUCESTER, . . . . .	26,121	26,011	6,328	5,264
Groveland, . . . . .	2,376	2,401	642	520
Hamilton, . . . . .	1,614	1,646	333	323
HAVERHILL, . . . . .	37,175	37,830	9,163	7,734
Ipswich, . . . . .	4,658	5,205	1,005	1,004
LAWRENCE, . . . . .	62,559	70,050	13,346	11,801
LYNN, . . . . .	68,513	77,042	19,520	15,362
Lynnfield, . . . . .	888	797	235	207
Manchester, . . . . .	2,522	2,618	620	594
Marblehead, . . . . .	7,582	7,209	2,193	2,053
Merrimac, . . . . .	2,131	1,884	534	461
Methuen, . . . . .	7,512	8,676	1,834	1,548
Middleton, . . . . .	839	1,068	249	219
Nahant, . . . . .	1,152	922	258	308
Newbury, . . . . .	1,601	1,480	434	373
NEWBURYPORT, . . . . .	14,478	14,675	3,756	3,340
North Andover, . . . . .	4,243	4,614	1,058	925
Peabody, . . . . .	11,523	13,098	3,097	2,762
Rockport, . . . . .	4,592	4,447	1,054	1,035
Rowley, . . . . .	1,391	1,388	402	356
SALEM, . . . . .	35,956	37,627	8,344	7,987
Salisbury, . . . . .	1,558	1,622	479	407
Saugus, . . . . .	5,084	6,253	1,441	1,393
Swampscott, . . . . .	4,548	5,141	1,316	1,170
Topsfield, . . . . .	1,030	1,095	282	256
Wenham, . . . . .	847	924	254	222
West Newbury, . . . . .	1,558	1,405	439	369
Totals, . . . . .	357,030	381,181	89,398	77,616

\* Name of town changed to Oak Bluffs by act of the General Court, January 25, 1907.

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters  1905	Regis- tered Voters  1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
FRANKLIN.				
Ashfield, . . . . .	955	959	271	239
Bernardston, . . . . .	792	769	205	175
Buckland, . . . . .	1,446	1,500	407	399
Charlemont, . . . . .	1,094	1,002	261	233
Colrain, . . . . .	1,749	1,780	400	291
Conway, . . . . .	1,458	1,340	329	302
Deerfield, . . . . .	1,969	2,112	509	441
Erving, . . . . .	973	1,094	274	253
Gill, . . . . .	1,015	1,023	248	138
Greenfield, . . . . .	7,927	9,156	2,383	1,984
Hawley, . . . . .	429	448	125	100
Heath, . . . . .	441	356	112	100
Leverett, . . . . .	744	703	190	153
Leyden, . . . . .	379	408	97	92
Monroe, . . . . .	305	269	64	50
Montague, . . . . .	6,150	7,015	1,380	1,302
New Salem, . . . . .	807	672	193	141
Northfield, . . . . .	1,966	2,017	411	378
Orange, . . . . .	5,520	5,578	1,530	1,376
Rowe, . . . . .	549	533	114	105
Shelburne, . . . . .	1,508	1,515	396	364
Shutesbury, . . . . .	382	374	98	81
Sunderland, . . . . .	771	910	149	160
Warwick, . . . . .	619	527	130	88
Wendell, . . . . .	492	480	125	127
Whately, . . . . .	769	822	213	199
Totals, . . . . .	41,209	43,362	10,614	9,271
HAMPDEN.				
Agawam, . . . . .	2,536	2,795	658	536
Blandford, . . . . .	836	746	195	178
Brimfield, . . . . .	941	894	220	166
Chester, . . . . .	1,450	1,366	345	283
CHICOPEE, . . . . .	19,167	20,191	3,438	3,016
East Longmeadow, . . . . .	1,187	1,327	261	199
Granville, . . . . .	1,050	865	246	186
Hampden, . . . . .	782	561	148	153
Holland, . . . . .	169	151	51	40
HOLYOKE, . . . . .	45,712	49,934	9,005	7,861
Longmeadow, . . . . .	811	964	213	185
Ludlow, . . . . .	3,536	3,881	508	427
Monson, . . . . .	3,402	4,344	929	784
Montgomery, . . . . .	273	259	69	63
Palmer, . . . . .	7,801	7,755	1,316	1,171
Russell, . . . . .	793	1,053	184	146
Southwick, . . . . .	1,040	1,048	265	241

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters  1905	Regis- tered Voters  1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
<b>HAMPDEN — Con.</b>				
SPRINGFIELD, . . . . .	62,059	73,540	17,376	13,612
Tolland, . . . . .	275	274	70	51
Wales, . . . . .	773	645	207	164
West Springfield, . . . . .	7,105	8,101	1,874	1,441
Westfield, . . . . .	12,310	13,611	3,169	2,745
Wilbraham, . . . . .	1,595	1,708	347	293
Totals, . . . . .	175,603	196,013	41,094	33,941
<b>HAMPSHIRE.</b>				
Amherst, . . . . .	5,028	5,313	1,434	988
Belchertown, . . . . .	2,292	2,068	476	414
Chesterfield, . . . . .	611	563	180	160
Cummington, . . . . .	748	740	219	190
Easthampton, . . . . .	5,603	6,808	1,343	1,118
Enfield, . . . . .	1,036	973	274	209
Goshen, . . . . .	316	277	72	64
Granby, . . . . .	761	747	164	154
Greenwich, . . . . .	491	475	134	114
Hadley, . . . . .	1,789	1,895	402	357
Hatfield, . . . . .	1,500	1,779	362	331
Huntington, . . . . .	1,475	1,451	327	302
Middlefield, . . . . .	410	399	74	66
NORTHAMPTON, . . . . .	18,643	19,957	3,781	3,283
Pelham, . . . . .	462	460	120	84
Plainfield, . . . . .	404	382	112	103
Prescott, . . . . .	380	322	103	87
South Hadley, . . . . .	4,526	5,054	908	798
Southampton, . . . . .	1,012	927	222	160
Ware, . . . . .	8,263	8,594	1,416	1,305
Westhampton, . . . . .	469	466	115	100
Williamsburg, . . . . .	1,926	1,943	458	404
Worthington, . . . . .	675	614	175	145
Totals, . . . . .	58,820	62,227	12,871	10,936
<b>MIDDLESEX.</b>				
Acton, . . . . .	2,120	2,089	531	450
Arlington, . . . . .	8,603	9,668	2,104	1,782
Ashby, . . . . .	876	865	250	212
Ashland, . . . . .	1,525	1,597	401	382
Ayer, . . . . .	2,446	2,386	608	613
Bedford, . . . . .	1,208	1,208	280	246
Belmont, . . . . .	3,929	4,360	966	733
Billerica, . . . . .	2,775	2,843	684	660
Boxborough, . . . . .	316	324	75	62
Burlington, . . . . .	593	588	153	146

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters  1905	Regis- tered Voters  1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
MIDDLESEX — <i>Con.</i>				
CAMBRIDGE, . . . . .	91,886	97,434	22,013	16,604
Carlisle, . . . . .	480	523	139	138
Chelmsford, . . . . .	3,984	4,254	971	854
Concord, . . . . .	5,652	5,421	1,095	1,018
Dracut, . . . . .	3,253	3,537	749	683
Dunstable, . . . . .	427	412	113	80
EVERETT, . . . . .	24,336	29,111	6,690	5,242
Framingham, . . . . .	11,302	11,548	2,827	2,792
Groton, . . . . .	2,052	2,253	515	457
Holliston, . . . . .	2,598	2,663	662	604
Hopkinton, . . . . .	2,623	2,585	739	706
Hudson, . . . . .	5,454	6,217	1,527	1,238
Lexington, . . . . .	3,831	4,530	1,028	867
Lincoln, . . . . .	1,127	1,122	243	222
Littleton, . . . . .	1,179	1,219	287	274
LOWELL, . . . . .	94,969	94,889	18,652	15,983
MALDEN, . . . . .	33,664	38,037	8,512	7,017
MARLBOROUGH, . . . . .	13,609	14,073	3,421	3,364
Maynard, . . . . .	3,142	5,811	932	949
MEDFORD, . . . . .	18,244	19,686	4,746	3,940
MELROSE, . . . . .	12,962	14,295	3,458	3,074
Natick, . . . . .	9,488	9,609	2,621	2,505
NEWTON, . . . . .	33,587	36,827	7,821	6,390
North Reading, . . . . .	1,035	903	251	192
Pepperell, . . . . .	3,701	3,268	791	671
Reading, . . . . .	4,969	5,682	1,435	1,284
Sherborn, . . . . .	1,483	1,379	295	235
Shirley, . . . . .	1,680	1,692	346	301
SOMERVILLE, . . . . .	61,643	69,272	15,906	11,573
Stoneham, . . . . .	6,197	6,332	1,672	1,565
Stow, . . . . .	1,002	1,027	222	213
Sudbury, . . . . .	1,150	1,159	338	256
Tewksbury, . . . . .	3,683	4,415	612	299
Townsend, . . . . .	1,804	1,772	528	416
Tyngsborough, . . . . .	773	768	195	138
Wakefield, . . . . .	9,290	10,268	2,473	2,368
WALTHAM, . . . . .	23,481	26,282	5,822	5,260
Watertown, . . . . .	9,706	11,258	2,585	2,277
Wayland, . . . . .	2,303	2,220	619	551
Westford, . . . . .	2,624	2,413	479	447
Weston, . . . . .	1,834	2,091	509	384
Wilmington, . . . . .	1,596	1,670	378	275
Winchester, . . . . .	7,248	8,242	1,820	1,459
WOBURN, . . . . .	14,254	14,402	3,411	3,233
Totals, . . . . .	565,696	608,499	136,500	113,694

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters 1905	Regis- tered Voters 1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
NANTUCKET.				
Nantucket, . . . . .	3,006	2,930	838	747
NORFOLK.				
Avon, . . . . .	1,741	1,901	504	478
Bellingham, . . . . .	1,682	1,686	345	273
Braintree, . . . . .	5,981	6,879	1,693	1,443
Brookline, . . . . .	19,935	23,436	5,120	4,436
Canton, . . . . .	4,584	4,702	1,098	957
Cohasset, . . . . .	2,759	2,727	682	660
Dedham, . . . . .	7,457	7,774	1,834	1,687
Dover, . . . . .	656	636	150	134
Foxborough, . . . . .	3,266	3,364	792	642
Franklin, . . . . .	5,017	5,244	1,099	951
Holbrook, . . . . .	2,229	2,509	686	633
Hyde Park, . . . . .	13,244	14,510	3,362	2,780
Medfield, . . . . .	2,926	3,314	437	354
Medway, . . . . .	2,761	2,650	721	679
Millis, . . . . .	1,053	1,252	254	245
Milton, . . . . .	6,578	7,054	1,604	1,662
Needham, . . . . .	4,016	4,284	943	840
Norfolk, . . . . .	980	1,089	320	215
Norwood, . . . . .	5,480	6,731	1,474	1,390
Plainville,* . . . . .	-	1,300	344	261
QUINCY, . . . . .	23,899	28,076	6,009	5,381
Randolph, . . . . .	3,993	4,034	1,134	995
Sharon, . . . . .	2,060	2,085	499	472
Stoughton, . . . . .	5,442	5,959	1,453	1,355
Walpole, . . . . .	3,572	4,003	895	806
Wellesley, . . . . .	5,072	6,189	932	844
Westwood, . . . . .	1,112	1,136	245	205
Weymouth, . . . . .	11,324	11,585	3,249	2,763
Wrentham,* . . . . .	2,720	1,428	376	312
Totals, . . . . .	151,539	167,537	38,254	33,853
PLYMOUTH.				
Abington, . . . . .	4,489	5,081	1,422	1,214
Bridgewater, . . . . .	5,806	6,754	1,192	932
BROCKTON, . . . . .	40,063	47,794	12,080	10,416
Carver, . . . . .	1,104	1,410	299	186
Duxbury, . . . . .	2,075	2,028	527	439
East Bridgewater, . . . . .	3,025	3,169	862	693
Halifax, . . . . .	522	494	135	102
Hanover, . . . . .	2,152	2,176	644	475

\* Plainville was incorporated from a part of Wrentham, April 4, 1905.

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters  1905	Regis- tered Voters  1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1903		
PLYMOUTH — <i>Con.</i>				
Hanson, . . . . .	1,455	1,490	398	331
Hingham, . . . . .	5,059	4,819	1,197	1,061
Hull, . . . . .	1,703	2,060	488	335
Kingston, . . . . .	1,955	2,205	510	417
Lakeville, . . . . .	958	912	247	189
Marion, . . . . .	902	1,029	282	274
Marshfield, . . . . .	1,810	1,763	499	459
Mattapoisett, . . . . .	1,061	1,180	301	288
Middleborough, . . . . .	6,885	6,888	1,867	1,427
Norwell, . . . . .	1,560	1,534	473	358
Pembroke, . . . . .	1,240	1,261	389	304
Plymouth, . . . . .	9,592	11,119	2,501	2,086
Plympton, . . . . .	488	514	155	134
Rochester, . . . . .	986	1,181	265	196
Rockland, . . . . .	5,327	6,287	1,825	1,773
Scituate, . . . . .	2,470	2,597	756	674
Wareham, . . . . .	3,432	3,660	879	787
West Bridgewater, . . . . .	1,711	2,006	479	376
Whitman, . . . . .	6,155	6,521	1,858	1,626
Totals, . . . . .	113,985	127,932	32,530	27,552
SUFFOLK.				
BOSTON, . . . . .	560,892	595,380	139,633	112,532
CHELSEA, . . . . .	34,072	37,289	7,842	6,653
Revere, . . . . .	10,395	12,659	2,854	2,835
Winthrop, . . . . .	6,058	7,034	1,867	1,659
Totals, . . . . .	611,417	652,362	152,196	123,679
WORCESTER.				
Ashburnham, . . . . .	1,882	1,851	444	391
Athol, . . . . .	7,061	7,197	1,898	1,516
Auburn, . . . . .	1,621	2,006	387	386
Barre, . . . . .	2,059	2,558	516	388
Berlin, . . . . .	1,003	906	239	216
Blackstone, . . . . .	5,721	5,786	1,235	1,061
Bolton, . . . . .	770	762	195	150
Boylston, . . . . .	1,364	649	165	132
Brookfield, . . . . .	3,062	2,388	560	486
Charlton, . . . . .	1,860	2,089	508	407
Clinton, . . . . .	13,667	13,105	2,740	2,531
Dana, . . . . .	790	763	197	178
Douglas, . . . . .	2,113	2,120	487	427
Dudley, . . . . .	3,553	3,818	573	576
FITCHBURG, . . . . .	31,531	33,021	6,355	5,553
Gardner, . . . . .	10,813	12,012	2,564	2,325

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Legal Voters 1905	Regis- tered Voters 1906
	U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
WORCESTER — <i>Con.</i>				
Grafton, . . . . .	4,869	5,052	1,040	816
Hardwick, . . . . .	3,203	3,261	499	456
Harvard, . . . . .	1,139	1,077	271	237
Holden, . . . . .	2,464	2,640	532	419
Hopedale, . . . . .	2,087	2,048	592	528
Hubbardston, . . . . .	1,227	1,205	334	261
Lancaster, . . . . .	2,478	2,406	456	360
Leicester, . . . . .	3,416	3,414	790	674
Leominster, . . . . .	12,392	14,297	3,345	2,720
Lunenburg, . . . . .	1,332	1,293	339	253
Mendon, . . . . .	911	922	253	210
Milford, . . . . .	11,376	12,105	2,699	2,362
Millbury, . . . . .	4,460	4,631	982	865
New Braintree, . . . . .	500	477	117	101
North Brookfield, . . . . .	4,587	2,617	600	567
Northborough, . . . . .	2,164	1,947	439	381
Northbridge, . . . . .	7,036	7,400	1,348	1,060
Oakham, . . . . .	588	519	150	137
Oxford, . . . . .	2,677	2,927	687	549
Paxton, . . . . .	459	444	106	92
Petersham, . . . . .	853	855	232	192
Phillipston, . . . . .	441	442	124	98
Princeton, . . . . .	975	907	241	219
Royalston, . . . . .	958	903	227	189
Rutland, . . . . .	1,334	1,713	339	239
Shrewsbury, . . . . .	1,626	1,866	539	434
Southborough, . . . . .	1,921	1,931	365	337
Southbridge, . . . . .	10,025	11,000	1,956	1,830
Spencer, . . . . .	7,627	7,121	1,678	1,440
Sterling, . . . . .	1,420	1,315	344	301
Sturbridge, . . . . .	2,058	1,974	455	364
Sutton, . . . . .	3,328	3,173	527	438
Templeton, . . . . .	3,489	3,783	857	726
Upton, . . . . .	1,937	2,024	528	472
Uxbridge, . . . . .	3,599	3,881	789	727
Warren, . . . . .	4,417	4,300	722	653
Webster, . . . . .	8,804	10,018	1,612	1,740
West Boylston, . . . . .	2,314	1,571	294	215
West Brookfield, . . . . .	1,448	1,384	369	290
Westborough, . . . . .	5,400	5,378	1,079	903
Westminster, . . . . .	1,327	1,348	372	318
Winchendon, . . . . .	5,001	5,933	1,310	1,132
WORCESTER, . . . . .	118,421	128,135	27,939	23,943
Totals, . . . . .	346,958	362,668	77,540	66,971



RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	Number of Cities and Towns	POPULATION.		Legal Voters  1905	Regis- tered Voters  1906
		U. S. Census 1900	State Census 1905		
Barnstable, . .	15	27,826	26,831	7,203	6,626
Berkshire, . .	32	95,667	98,330	22,618	19,435
Bristol, . . .	20	252,029	269,257	51,368	43,568
Dukes County, .	7	4,561	4,551	1,150	1,125
Essex, . . .	34	357,030	381,181	89,398	77,616
Franklin, . . .	26	41,209	43,362	10,614	9,271
Hampden, . . .	23	175,603	196,013	41,094	33,941
Hampshire, . .	23	58,820	62,227	12,871	10,936
Middlesex, . .	54	565,696	608,499	136,500	113,694
Nantucket, . .	1	3,006	2,930	838	747
Norfolk, . . .	29	151,539	167,537	38,254	33,853
Plymouth, . .	27	113,985	127,932	32,530	27,552
Suffolk, . . .	4	611,417	652,362	152,196	123,679
Worcester, . .	59	346,958	362,668	77,540	66,971
Totals, . . .	354	2,805,346	3,003,680	674,174	569,014

**GOVERNORS AND LIEUT.-GOVERNORS.****CHOSEN ANNUALLY BY THE PEOPLE.****GOVERNORS OF PLYMOUTH COLONY.**

1620 Nov. 11, John Carver.	1638 June 5, Thomas Prence.
1621 April, William Bradford.	1639 June 3, William Bradford.
1633 Jan. 1, Edward Winslow.	1644 June 5, Edward Winslow.
1634 Mar. 27, Thomas Prence.	1645 June 4, William Bradford.
1635 Mar. 3, William Bradford.	1657 June 3, Thomas Prence.
1636 Mar. 1, Edward Winslow.	1673 June 3, Josiah Winslow.
1637 Mar. 7, William Bradford.	1680 Dec. 18, Thomas Hinckley.*

**DEPUTY-GOVERNORS OF PLYMOUTH COLONY.**

1680 Thomas Hinckley.†	1682 William Bradford,	to 1686
1681 James Cudworth.	1689 William Bradford,	to 1692

**CHOSEN ANNUALLY UNDER THE FIRST CHARTER.****GOVERNORS OF MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY.**

1629 Mar. 4, Matthew Cradock.‡	1646 May 6, John Winthrop.
1629 Apr. 30, John Endicott.‡	1649 May 2, John Endicott.
1629 Oct. 20, John Winthrop.‡	1650 May 22, Thomas Dudley.
1634 May 14, Thomas Dudley.	1651 May 7, John Endicott.
1635 May 6, John Haynes.	1654 May 3, Richard Bellingham.
1636 May 25, Henry Vane.	1655 May 23, John Endicott.
1637 May 17, John Winthrop.	1665 May 3, Richard Bellingham.
1640 May 18, Thomas Dudley.	1672 Dec. 12, John Leverett (act'g).
1641 June 2, Richard Bellingham.	1673 May 7, John Leverett.
1642 May 18, John Winthrop.	1679 May 28, Simon Bradstreet, to
1644 May 29, John Endicott.	May 20, 1686.
1645 May 14, Thomas Dudley.	

\* Mr. Hinckley was Governor till the union of the colonies in 1692, except during the administration of Andros.

† Previously there was no Deputy-Governor, a Governor *pro tem.* being appointed by the Governor to serve in his absence.

‡ A patent of King James I., dated Nov. 3, 1620, created the Council for New England and granted it the territory in North America from

**DEPUTY-GOVERNORS OF MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY.**

1629 Thomas Goffe,* to Oct. 20, 1629	1650 John Endicott, . . . to 1651
1629 Thomas Dudley, . . . 1634	1651 Thomas Dudley, . . . 1653
1634 Roger Ludlow, . . . 1635	1653 Richard Bellingham, . . 1654
1635 Richard Bellingham, . . 1636	1654 John Endicott, . . . 1655
1636 John Winthrop, . . . 1637	1655 Richard Bellingham, . . 1655
1637 Thomas Dudley, . . . 1640	1655 Francis Willoughby, . . 1671
1640 Richard Bellingham, . . 1641	1671 John Leverett, . . . 1673
1641 John Endicott, . . . 1644	1673 Sam'l Symonds, to Oct., 1678
1644 John Winthrop, . . . 1646	1678 Oct., Simon Bradstreet, 1679
1646 Thomas Dudley, . . . 1650	1679 Thomas Danforth, . . 1686

40° to 48° N. latitude and from sea to sea, to be known thereafter as New England in America. By instrument of March 19, 1628, the Council for New England granted to Sir Henry Rosewell and others the territory afterwards confirmed by royal Charter to the "Governor and Company of the Mattachusetts Bay in Newe England." This Charter, which passed the seals March 4, 1629, designated Matthew Cradock as the first Governor of the Company and Thomas Goffe as the first Deputy-Governor. Both had held similar offices from the grantees under the instrument of March 19, 1628. On May 13, 1629, the same persons were rechosen by the Company; but they never came to New England. On Oct. 20, 1629, John Winthrop was chosen Governor of the Company and John Humfrey Deputy-Governor. Humfrey having declined the service, Thomas Dudley was chosen in his stead.

John Endicott had been sent over in 1628, with a small band, as the agent of the grantees under the instrument of March 19, 1628. While Cradock was Governor of the Company, a commission, dated April 30, 1629, was sent out to Endicott at Salem appointing him "Governor of London's Plantation in the Mattachusetts Bay in New England." In the exercise of this commission he was subordinate to the "Governor and Company" in London, by whom he was deputed, and who, from time to time, sent him elaborate instructions for his conduct. Cradock and Endicott were thus chief governor and local governor, respectively, from April 30, 1629, or, rather, from the time when Endicott's commission reached Salem, a few weeks later, until Oct. 20, 1629; and Winthrop and Endicott were chief and local governors, respectively, from that date until the arrival of Winthrop at Salem with the Charter, June 12, 1630, when Endicott's powers merged in the general authority of Winthrop.

\* Thomas Goffe, the first Deputy-Governor, never came to New England. John Humfrey was elected, but did not serve.

## THE INTER-CHARTER PERIOD.

On May 25, 1686, Joseph Dudley became President of New England under a commission of King James II., and had jurisdiction over the royal dominions in New England. This office he held till December 20, the same year, when Edmund Andros became Governor of New England, appointed by King James II. On April 18, 1689, Governor Andros was deposed by a revolution of the people.

## AFTER THE DISSOLUTION OF THE FIRST CHARTER.

Simon Bradstreet was Governor from May 24, 1689, to May 14, 1692; and Thomas Danforth was Deputy-Governor during the same time.

## APPOINTED BY THE KING UNDER SECOND CHARTER.

## GOVERNORS OF THE PROVINCE OF MASSACHUSETTS BAY.

1692 May 14, William Phips.	1730 June 30, <i>William Tailer.</i>
1694 Nov. 17, <i>William Stoughton.*</i>	1730 Aug. 8, Jonathan Belcher.
1699 May 26, Richard Coote.	1741 Aug. 17, William Shirley.
1700 July, <i>William Stoughton.</i>	1749 Sept 11, <i>Spencer Phips.</i>
1701 July 7, The Council.	1753 Aug. 7, William Shirley.
1702 June 11, Joseph Dudley.	1756 Sept. 25, <i>Spencer Phips.</i>
1714-15 Feb., The Council.	1757 April 4, The Council.
1714-15 Mar., Joseph Dudley.	1757 Aug. 3, Thomas Pownal.
1715 Nov. 9, <i>William Tailer.†</i>	1760 June 3, <i>Thomas Hutchinson.</i>
1716 Oct. 4, Samuel Shute.	1760 Aug. 1, Francis Bernard.
1722 Dec. 27, <i>William Dummer.</i>	1769 Aug. 1, <i>Thomas Hutchinson.</i>
1728 July 13, William Burnet.	1771 March, Thomas Hutchinson.
1729 Sept. 7, <i>William Dummer.</i>	1774 May 13, Thomas Gage.

\* Those whose names are printed in italics were Acting Governors.

† In November, 1715, Elizeus Burgess was proclaimed Governor, he having had the appointment in March, 1714, but he never came over to perform his duties, and resigned the office in 1716.

**LIEUTENANT-GOVERNORS OF THE PROVINCE OF MASSACHUSETTS BAY.**

1692 Wm. Stoughton, to July, 1701	1730 William Tailer.
1702 Thomas Povey, . . . 1706	1733 Spencer Phips.
1705-6 Jan., vacancy to Oct., 1711	1758 Thomas Hutchinson.
1711 William Tailer.	1771 Andrew Oliver.
1716 William Dummer.	1774 Thomas Oliver.

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**UNTIL THE CONSTITUTION.**

1774 Oct., a Provincial Congress. | 1775 July, The Council.

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**UNDER THE CONSTITUTION.**

**GOVERNORS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.**

1780 John Hancock, . . . to 1785	1858 Nathaniel P. Banks, . to 1861
1785 James Bowdoin, . . . 1787	1861 John A. Andrew, . . . 1866
1787 John Hancock, Oct 8, . . 1793	1866 Alexander H. Bullock, 1869
1794 Samuel Adams, . . . 1797	1869 William Claflin, . . . 1872
1797 Increase Sumner, June 7, 1799	1872 William B. Washburn,* 1874
1800 Caleb Strong, . . . 1807	1875 William Gaston, . . . 1876
1807 Jas. Sullivan, Dec. 10, . . 1808	1876 Alexander H. Rice, . . . 1879
1809 Christopher Gore, . . . 1810	1879 Thomas Talbot, . . . 1880
1810 Elbridge Gerry, . . . 1812	1880 John Davis Long, . . . 1883
1812 Caleb Strong, . . . 1816	1883 Benjamin F. Butler, . . 1884
1816 John Brooks, . . . 1823	1884 George D. Robinson, . . 1887
1823 Wm. Eustis, Feb. 6, . . . 1825	1887 Oliver Ames, . . . 1890
1825 Levi Lincoln, . . . 1834	1890 John Q. A. Brackett, . . 1891
1834 John Davis, March 1, . . . 1835	1891 William E. Russell, . . . 1894
1836 Edward Everett, . . . 1840	1894 Frederic T. Greenhalge,† 1896
1840 Marcus Morton, . . . 1841	1897 Roger Wolcott, . . . 1900
1841 John Davis, . . . 1843	1900 W. Murray Crane, . . . 1903
1843 Marcus Morton, . . . 1844	1903 John L. Bates, . . . 1905
1844 George N. Briggs, . . . 1851	1905 William L. Douglas, . . 1906
1851 George S. Boutwell, . . . 1853	1906 Curtis Guild, Jr., . . .
1853 John H. Clifford, . . . 1854	
1854 Emory Washburn, . . . 1855	
1855 Henry J. Gardner, . . . 1858	

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\* Resigned May 1, 1874. Chosen U. S. Senator April 17, 1874.

† Mr. Greenhalge died March 5, 1896.

**LIEUTENANT-GOVERNORS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.**

1780 <i>Thos. Cushing</i> , to Feb. 28,*1788	1858 Eliphalet Trask, . . . to 1861
1788 Benjamin Lincoln, . . . 1789	1861 John Z. Goodrich, Mar. 29, 1861
1789 <i>Samuel Adams</i> , . . . 1794	1862 John Nesmith, Sept., . . . 1862
1794 <i>Moses Gill</i> , May 20,† . . . 1800	1863 Joel Hayden, . . . 1866
1801 Sam'l Phillips, Feb. 10, . . . 1802	1866 William Claflin, . . . 1869
1802 Edward H. Robbins, . . . 1806	1869 Joseph Tucker, . . . 1873
1807 <i>Levi Lincoln</i> ,‡ . . . 1809	1873 <i>Thomas Talbot</i> ,§ . . . 1875
1809 David Cobb, . . . 1810	1875 Horatio G. Knight, . . . 1879
1810 William Gray, . . . 1812	1879 John D. Long, . . . 1880
1812 William Phillips, . . . 1823	1880 Byron Weston, . . . 1883
1823 Levi Lincoln, Feb., . . . 1824	1883 Oliver Ames, . . . 1887
1824 <i>Marcus Morton</i> , July, . . . 1825	1887 John Q. A. Brackett, . . . 1890
1826 Thomas L. Winthrop, . . . 1833	1890 William H. Haile, . . . 1893
1833 <i>Samuel T. Armstrong</i> , . . . 1836	1893 <i>Roger Wolcott</i> ,   . . . 1897
1836 George Hull, . . . 1843	1897 W. Murray Crane, . . . 1900
1843 Henry H. Childs, . . . 1844	1900 John L. Bates, . . . 1903
1844 John Reed, . . . 1851	1903 Curtis Guild, Jr., . . . 1906
1851 Henry W. Cushman, . . . 1853	1906 Eben S. Draper, . . .
1853 Elisha Huntington, . . . 1854	
1854 William C. Plunkett, . . . 1855	
1855 Simon Brown, . . . 1856	
1856 Henry W. Benchley, . . . 1858	

\* The Lieutenant-Governors whose names are in italics were Acting Governors also during vacancies in the office of Governor.

† Mr. Gill died on the 20th of May, 1800, and the Commonwealth, for the only time under the Constitution, was without a Governor and Lieutenant-Governor. The Council, Hon. Thomas Dawes, President, officiated till the 30th of the month, when Caleb Strong was inaugurated Governor.

‡ General William Heath was elected in 1803, and declined to accept the office.

§ Acting Governor from May 1, 1874.

|| Acting Governor from March 5, 1896.

# UNITED STATES SENATORS

## FROM MASSACHUSETTS,

### From 1789.

Tristram Dalton, . . .	1789-91	Caleb Strong, . . .	1789-96
George Cabot, . . .	1791-96	Theodore Sedgwick, . .	1796-99
Benjamin Goodhue, . .	1796-1800	Samuel Dexter, . . .	1799-1800
Jonathan Mason, . . .	1800-03	Dwight Foster, . . .	1800-03
John Quincy Adams, . .	1803-08	Timothy Pickering, . .	1803-11
James Lloyd, Jr., . . .	1808-13	Joseph Bradley Varnum,	1811-17
Christopher Gore, . . .	1813-16	Harrison Gray Otis, . .	1817-22
Eli Porter Ashmun, . .	1816-18	James Lloyd, . . .	1822-26
Prentiss Mellen, . . .	1818-20	Nathaniel Silsbee, . .	1826-35
Elijah Hunt Mills, . .	1820-27	John Davis, . . .	1835-41
Daniel Webster, . . .	1827-41	Isaac Chapman Bates, . .	1841-45
Rufus Choate, . . .	1841-45	John Davis, . . .	1845-53
Daniel Webster, . . .	1845-50	Edward Everett, . . .	1853-54
Robert Charles Winthrop,	1850-51	Julius Rockwell, . . .	1854-55
Robert Rantoul, Jr., . .	1851	Henry Wilson,* . . .	1855-73
Charles Sumner,† . . .	1851-74	George S. Boutwell, . .	1873-77
William B. Washburn, . .	1874-75	George Frisbie Hoar,† .	1877-1904
Henry Laurens Dawes, . .	1875-93	Winthrop Murray Crane,§	1904-
Henry Cabot Lodge,§ . .	1893-		

\* Mr. Wilson was elected Vice-President in 1872; George S. Boutwell chosen to fill vacancy.

† Charles Sumner died March 11, 1874; William B. Washburn chosen to fill vacancy April 17, 1874.

‡ Mr. Hoar died Sept. 30, 1904, and Mr. Crane was appointed by Governor Bates Oct. 12, 1904.

§ Mr. Lodge's term will expire March 4, 1911, and Mr. Crane's, March 4, 1913.

**SECRETARIES.**

*List of Persons who have held the Office of SECRETARY OF THE  
COMMONWEALTH, since 1780.*

John Avery, . . .	1780-1806	William B. Calhoun, . .	1848-51
Jonathan L. Austin, .	1806-08	Amasa Walker, . . .	1851-53
William Tudor, . . .	1808-10	Ephraim M. Wright, .	1853-56
Benjamin Homans, . .	1810-12	Francis DeWitt, . . .	1856-58
Alden Bradford, . . .	1812-24	Oliver Warner, . . .	1858-76
Edward D. Bangs, . . .	1824-36	Henry B. Peirce, . . .	1876-91
John P. Bigelow, . . .	1836-43	William M. Olin, . . .	1891-
John A. Bolles, . . .	1843-44		
John G. Palfrey, . . .	1844-48		

**TREASURERS.**

*List of Persons who have held the Office of TREASURER AND  
RECEIVER-GENERAL, since 1780.*

Henry Gardner, . . .	1780-83	Thomas Russell, . . .	1844-45
Thomas Ivers, . . .	1783-87	Joseph Barrett, . . .	1845-49
Alexander Hodgdon, .	1787-92	Ebenezer Bradbury, .	1849-51
Thomas Davis, . . .	1792-97	Charles B. Hall, . . .	1851-53
Peleg Coffin, . . .	*1797-1801	Jacob H. Loud, . . .	1853-55
Jonathan Jackson, . .	1802-06	Thomas J. Marsh, . . .	1855-56
Thompson J. Skinner, .	1806-08	Moses Tenney, Jr., .	1856-61
Josiah Dwight, . . .	1808-10	Henry K. Oliver, . . .	1861-66
Thomas Harris, . . .	1810-11	Jacob H. Loud, . . .	1866-71
Jonathan L. Austin, .	1811-12	Charles Adams, Jr., .	1871-76
John T. Apthorp, . . .	1812-17	Charles Endicott, . .	1876-81
Daniel Sargent, . . .	1817-22	Daniel A. Gleason, . .	1881-86
Nahum Mitchell, . . .	1822-27	Alanson W. Beard, . .	1886-89
Joseph Sewall, . . .	1827-32	George A. Marden, . .	1889-94
Hezekiah Barnard, . .	1832-37	Henry M. Phillips,† .	1894-95
David Wilder, . . .	1837-42	Edward P. Shaw,† . .	1895-1900
Thomas Russell, . . .	1842-43	Edward S. Bradford, .	1900-1905
John Mills, . . . . .	1843-44	Arthur B. Chapin, . .	1905-

\* Secretary Avery had a warrant to take care of the Treasury on the resignation of Coffin, May 25, 1802.

† Mr. Phillips resigned April 12, 1895, and Mr. Shaw was elected to fill the vacancy April 25, 1895.



## ATTORNEYS-GENERAL — SOLICITORS-GENERAL.

[This table was prepared by Mr. A. C. Goodell, Jr., and contributed by him to the Massachusetts Historical Society's proceedings for June, 1895.]

### TABLE OF ATTORNEYS-GENERAL BEFORE THE CONSTITUTION.

CHOSEN.	APPOINTED.
Under the Presidency of Joseph Dudley :	
Benjamin Bullivant, . . . . .	Date uncertain, but before July 1, 1686; sworn in July 26.
Under Sir Edmund Andros :	
Giles Masters, . . . . .	"To frame indictments, arraign and prosecute felons." April 30, 1687. He died "Kings Attorney," Feb. 29, 1688.
James Graham, . . . . .	Date uncertain, but as early as Aug. 25, 1687, he was "settled in Boston and made attorney-general."
James Graham, . . . . .	Reappointed (2d commission) June 20, 1688.
During the inter-charter period :	
Anthony Checkley, . . . . .	June 14, 1689.
Under the Province Charter :	
Anthony Checkley, . . . . .	Oct. 28, 1692.
Paul Dudley, . . . . .	July 6, 1702.
Paul Dudley, . . . . .	June 8, 1716.
Paul Dudley, . . . . .	June 19, 1717.
Paul Dudley,* . . . . .	June 25, 1718.
John Valentine, . . . . .	Nov. 22, 1718.
John Valentine, . . . . .	June 24, 1719.
Thomas Newton,† . . . . .	June 19, 1720.
(Vacancy; John Read chosen, but negatived by Governor Shute.)	
John Overing, . . . . .	June 29, 1722.
John Read, . . . . .	June 20, 1723.
(Vacancy; John Read chosen, but not consented to.)	

\* Resigned Nov. 22, 1718.

† Died May 28, 1721.

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CHOSEN.		APPOINTED.
John Read,	. . . June 28, 1725.	
John Read,	. . . June 21, 1726.	
John Read,	. . . June 28, 1727.	
Joseph Hiller,	. . . June 19, 1728.	
(Addington Davenport, Jr., chosen June 12, but declined.)		
John Overing,	. . . . .	June 26, 1729.
Edmund Trowbridge,	. . . . .	June 29, 1749.
Edmund Trowbridge,	. . . . .	May 14, 1762.
(Made Justice of the Superior Court of Judicature, March 25, 1767.)		
Jeremiah Gridley,*	. . . . .	March 25, 1767.
Jonathan Sewall,	. . . . .	Nov. 18, 1767.
(Vacancy from September, 1774, to June 12, 1777.)		
Robert Treat Paine,	. June 12, 1777, . . .	Accepted Aug. 26.
Robert Treat Paine,	. June 19, 1778 (sworn).	
Robert Treat Paine,	. Feb. 5, 1779.	
Robert Treat Paine,	. Jan. 4, 1780.	

SPECIAL ATTORNEY-GENERAL, ETC.

Jonathan Sewall,	. . . . .	March 25, 1767.
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SOLICITORS-GENERAL, ETC.

Jonathan Sewall,	. . . . .	June 24, 1767.
(Vacancy from Nov. 18, 1767, to March 14, 1771.)		
Samuel Quincy,†	. . . . .	March 14, 1771.

TABLE OF ATTORNEYS-GENERAL SINCE THE CONSTITUTION.

Robert Treat Paine,	. 1780-90	Chester I. Reed,§	. . 1864-67
James Sullivan,	. . 1790-1807	Charles Allen,	. . 1867-72
Barnabas Bidwell,	. 1807-10	Charles R. Train,	. . . 1872-79
Perez Morton,	. . 1810-32	George Marston,	. . 1879-83
James T. Austin,	. . 1832-43	Edgar J. Sherman,	. 1883-87
John Henry Clifford,	. †1849-53	Andrew J. Waterman,	. 1887-91
Rufus Choate,	. . 1853-54	Albert E. Pillsbury,	. 1891-94
John Henry Clifford,	. 1854-58	Hosea M. Knowlton,	. 1894-1902
Stephen Henry Phillips,	1858-61	Herbert Parker,	. . 1902-1906
Dwight Foster,	. . 1861-64	Dana Malone,	. . 1906-

\* Died Sept. 10, 1767, and was buried on the 12th.  
† A refugee, 1774-75.  
‡ The office of Attorney-General was abolished in 1843 and re-established in 1849.  
§ Resigned during the session of the Legislature of 1867. The vacancy was filled by the election of Charles Allen.  
|| Resigned Oct. 1, 1887. The vacancy was filled by the appointment of Andrew J. Waterman.

## AUDITORS.

*List of Persons who have held the Office of AUDITOR OF  
ACCOUNTS.*

[Established by Act of 1849.]

David Wilder, Jr., . . .	1849-54	Henry S. Briggs, . . .	1866-70
Joseph Mitchell, . . .	1854-55	Charles Endicott, . . .	1870-76
Stephen N. Gifford, . . .	1855-56	Julius L. Clarke,† . . .	1876-79
Chandler R. Ransom, . . .	1856-58	Charles R. Ladd,† . . .	1879-91
Charles White, . . .	1858-61	William D. T. Trefry, . . .	1891-92
Levi Reed,* . . .	1861-65	John W. Kimball, . . .	1892-1901
Julius L. Clarke, . . .	1865-66	Henry E. Turner, . . .	1901-

## SECRETARIES OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

*List of Persons who have held the Office of SECRETARY OF THE  
STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.*

[See Act of 1837.]

Horace Mann, . . .	1837-48	John W. Dickinson, . . .	1877-94
Barnas Sears, . . .	1848-55	Frank A. Hill,† . . .	1894-1903
George S. Boutwell, . . .	1855-61	George H. Martin, . . .	1904-
Joseph White, . . .	1861-77		

\* Resigned Dec. 20, 1865.

† Mr. Clarke resigned, and Mr. Ladd was appointed in his place May 5, 1879.

‡ Mr. Hill died Sept. 12, 1903. Mr. Caleb B. Tillinghast was appointed acting secretary May 19, 1903, and served until March 1, 1904, when Mr. Martin, who was elected Feb. 4, 1904, entered upon his duties.

## ORGANIZATION OF THE LEGISLATURE, Since 1780.

The first General Court, under the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, assembled at Boston on Wednesday, Oct. 25, 1780, and was finally prorogued (having held three sessions) May 19, 1781. From this time until 1832 the political year commenced on the last Wednesday in May, and the General Court held two, and frequently three, sessions during each year. In 1832, by an amendment of the Constitution, the commencement of the political year was changed to the first Wednesday in January.

### SENATE.

#### PRESIDENTS.

Thomas Cushing, <i>res'n'd,*</i>	} 1780-81	Samuel Phillips, . . .	1795-96
Jeremiah Powell, . . .		Samuel Phillips, . . .	1796-97
Jeremiah Powell, <i>res'n'd,*</i>	} 1781-82	Samuel Phillips, . . .	1797-98
Samuel Adams, . . .		Samuel Phillips, . . .	1798-99
Samuel Adams, . . .	1782-83	Samuel Phillips, . . .	1799-1800
Samuel Adams, . . .	1783-84	Samuel Phillips, . . .	1800-01
Samuel Adams, . . .	1784-85	Samuel Phillips, <i>res'n'd,†</i>	} 1801-02
Samuel Adams, <i>resign'd,*</i>	} 1785-86	David Cobb, . . .	
Samuel Phillips, Jr., . . .		David Cobb, . . .	1802-03
Samuel Phillips, Jr., . . .	1786-87	David Cobb, . . .	1803-04
Samuel Adams, . . .	1787-88	David Cobb, . . .	1804-05
Samuel Phillips, Jr., . . .	1788-89	Harrison Gray Otis, . . .	1805-06
Samuel Phillips, Jr., . . .	1789-90	John Bacon, . . .	1806-07
Samuel Phillips, . . .	1790-91	Samuel Dana, . . .	1807-08
Samuel Phillips, . . .	1791-92	Harrison Gray Otis, . . .	1808-09
Samuel Phillips, . . .	1792-93	Harrison Gray Otis, . . .	1809-10
Samuel Phillips, . . .	1793-94	Harrison Gray Otis, . . .	1810-11
Samuel Phillips, . . .	1794-95	Samuel Dana, . . .	1811-12

\* Resigned to serve in Governor's Council.

† Resigned to serve as Lieutenant-Governor.

Samuel Dana, . . .	1812-13	Marshall P. Wilder, . . .	1850
John Phillips, . . .	1813-14	Henry Wilson, . . .	1851
John Phillips, . . .	1814-15	Henry Wilson, . . .	1852
John Phillips, . . .	1815-16	Charles H. Warren, . . .	1853
John Phillips, . . .	1816-17	Charles Edward Cook, . . .	1854
John Phillips, . . .	1817-18	Henry W. Benchley, . . .	1855
John Phillips, . . .	1818-19	Elihu C. Baker, . . .	1856
John Phillips, . . .	1819-20	Charles W. Upham, . . .	1857
John Phillips, . . .	1820-21	Charles W. Upham, . . .	1858
John Phillips, . . .	1821-22	Charles A. Phelps, . . .	1859
John Phillips, . . .	1822-23	Charles A. Phelps, . . .	1860
Nathaniel Silsbee, . . .	1823-24	William Claflin, . . .	1861
Nathaniel Silsbee, . . .	1824-25	John H. Clifford, . . .	1862
Nathaniel Silsbee, . . .	1825-26	Jonathan E. Field, . . .	1863
John Mills, . . .	1826-27	Jonathan E. Field, . . .	1864
John Mills, . . .	1827-28	Jonathan E. Field, . . .	1865
Sherman Leland, . . .	1828-29	Joseph A. Pond, . . .	1866
Samuel Lathrop, . . .	1829-30	Joseph A. Pond, . . .	1867
Samuel Lathrop, <i>resign'd</i> , {	1830-31	George O. Brastow, . . .	1868
James Fowler, . . .		Robert C. Pitman, <i>resigned</i> ,* {	1869
Leverett Saltonstall, . . .	1831	George O. Brastow, . . .	
William Thorndike, . . .	1832	Horace H. Coolidge, . . .	1870
Benjamin T. Pickman, . . .	1833	Horace H. Coolidge, . . .	1871
Benjamin T. Pickman, . . .	1834	Horace H. Coolidge, . . .	1872
Benjamin T. Pickman, <i>died</i> , {	1835	George B. Loring, . . .	1873
George Bliss, . . .		George B. Loring, . . .	1874
Horace Mann, . . .	1836	George B. Loring, . . .	1875
Horace Mann, . . .	1837	George B. Loring, . . .	1876
Myron Lawrence, . . .	1838	John B. D. Cogswell, . . .	1877
Myron Lawrence, . . .	1839	John B. D. Cogswell, . . .	1878
Daniel P. King, . . .	1840	John B. D. Cogswell, . . .	1879
Daniel P. King, . . .	1841	Robert R. Bishop, . . .	1880
Josiah Quincy, Jr., . . .	1842	Robert R. Bishop, . . .	1881
Phineas W. Leland, <i>resigned</i> , {	1843	Robert R. Bishop, . . .	1882
Frederick Robinson, . . .		George Glover Crocker, . . .	1883
Josiah Quincy, Jr., . . .	1844	George A. Bruce, . . .	1884
Levi Lincoln, . . .	1845	Albert E. Pillsbury, . . .	1885
William B. Calhoun, . . .	1846	Albert E. Pillsbury, . . .	1886
William B. Calhoun, . . .	1847	Halsey J. Boardman, . . .	1887
Zeno Scudder, . . .	1848	Halsey J. Boardman, . . .	1888
Joseph Bell, . . .	1849	Harris C. Hartwell, . . .	1889

\* Appointed Justice of Superior Court.

Henry H. Sprague, . . .	1890	Rufus A. Soule, . . .	1901
Henry H. Sprague, . . .	1891	Rufus A. Soule, . . .	1902
Alfred S. Pinkerton, . . .	1892	George R. Jones, . . .	1903
Alfred S. Pinkerton, . . .	1893	George R. Jones, . . .	1904
William M. Butler, . . .	1894	William F. Dana, . . .	1905
William M. Butler, . . .	1895	William F. Dana, . . .	1906
George P. Lawrence, . . .	1896	William D. Chapple, . . .	1907
George P. Lawrence, . . .	1897		
George E. Smith, . . .	1898		
George E. Smith, . . .	1899		
George E. Smith, . . .	1900		

## CLERKS.

William Baker, Jr., . . .	1780-84	Charles Calhoun, . . .	1830-42
Samuel Cooper, . . .	1785-95	Lewis Josselyn, . . .	1843
Edward McLane, . . .	1796-99	Charles Calhoun, . . .	1844-50
Edward Payne Hayman, . . .	1800	Chauncy L. Knapp, . . .	1851
George Elliot Vaughan, . . .	1801-02	Francis H. Underwood, . . .	1852
Wendell Davis, . . .	1803-05	Charles Calhoun, . . .	1853-54
John D. Dunbar, . . .	1806-07	Peter L. Cox, . . .	1855-57
Nathaniel Coffin, . . .	1808-10	Stephen N. Gifford,* . . .	1858-86
Marcus Morton, . . .	1811-12	E. Herbert Clapp, . . .	1886-88
Samuel F. McCleary, . . .	1813-21	Henry D. Coolidge, . . .	1889-
Samuel F. Lyman, . . .	1822		
Paul Willard, . . .	1823-29		

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\* Died April 18, 1886.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SPEAKERS.

Caleb Davis, . . .	1780-81	Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1817-18
Caleb Davis, <i>resigned</i> , . . .	1781-82	Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1818-19
Nathaniel Gorham, . . .	1782	Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1819-20
Nathaniel Gorham, . . .	1782-83	Elijah H. Mills, <i>resigned</i> , . . .	1820-21
Tristram Dalton, . . .	1783-84	Josiah Quincy, . . .	1821
Tristram Dalton, . . .	1784-85	Josiah Quincy, <i>resigned</i> , . . .	1821-22
Nathaniel Gorham, . . .	1785-86	Luther Lawrence, . . .	1822
Artemas Ward, . . .	1786-87	Levi Lincoln, . . .	1822-23
James Warren, . . .	1787-88	William C. Jarvis, . . .	1823-24
Theodore Sedgwick, . . .	1788-89	William C. Jarvis, . . .	1824-25
David Cobb, . . .	1789-90	Timothy Fuller, . . .	1825-26
David Cobb, . . .	1790-91	William C. Jarvis, . . .	1826-27
David Cobb, . . .	1791-92	William C. Jarvis, . . .	1827-28
David Cobb, . . .	1792-93	William B. Calhoun, . . .	1828-29
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1793-94	William B. Calhoun, . . .	1829-30
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1794-95	William B. Calhoun, . . .	1830
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1795-96	William B. Calhoun, . . .	1831
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1796-97	William B. Calhoun, . . .	1832
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1797-98	William B. Calhoun, . . .	1833
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1798-99	William B. Calhoun, . . .	1834
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1799-1800	Julius Rockwell, . . .	1835
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1800-01	Julius Rockwell, . . .	1836
Edward H. Robbins, . . .	1801-02	Julius Rockwell, . . .	1837
John Coffin Jones, . . .	1802-03	Robert C. Winthrop, . . .	1838
Harrison Gray Otis, . . .	1803-04	Robert C. Winthrop, . . .	1839
Harrison Gray Otis, . . .	1804-05	Robert C. Winthrop, . . .	1840
Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1805-06	George Ashmun, . . .	1841
Perez Morton, . . .	1806-07	Thomas Kinnicut, . . .	1842
Perez Morton, . . .	1807-08	Daniel P. King, . . .	1843
Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1808-09	Thomas Kinnicut, <i>resigned</i> , . . .	1844
Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1809-10	Samuel H. Walley, Jr., . . .	1844
Perez Morton, <i>resigned</i> , . . .	1810-11	Samuel H. Walley, Jr., . . .	1845
Joseph Story, . . .	1811	Samuel H. Walley, Jr., . . .	1846
Joseph Story, <i>resigned</i> , . . .	1811-12	Ebenezer Bradbury, . . .	1847
Eleazer W. Ripley, . . .	1812	Francis B. Crowninshield, . . .	1848
Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1812-13	Francis B. Crowninshield, . . .	1849
Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1813-14	Ensign H. Kellogg, . . .	1850
Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1814-15	Nathaniel P. Banks, Jr., . . .	1851
Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1815-16	Nathaniel P. Banks, Jr., . . .	1852
Timothy Bigelow, . . .	1816-17	George Bliss, . . .	1853

Otis P. Lord, . . . . .	1854	George A. Marden, . . . . .	1883
Daniel C. Eddy, . . . . .	1855	George A. Marden, . . . . .	1884
Charles A. Phelps, . . . . .	1856	John Q. A. Brackett, . . . . .	1885
Charles A. Phelps, . . . . .	1857	John Q. A. Brackett, . . . . .	1886
Julius Rockwell, . . . . .	1858	Charles J. Noyes, . . . . .	1887
Charles Hale, . . . . .	1859	Charles J. Noyes, . . . . .	1888
John A. Goodwin, . . . . .	1860	William E. Barrett, . . . . .	1889
John A. Goodwin, . . . . .	1861	William E. Barrett, . . . . .	1890
Alexander H. Bullock, . . . . .	1862	William E. Barrett, . . . . .	1891
Alexander H. Bullock, . . . . .	1863	William E. Barrett, . . . . .	1892
Alexander H. Bullock, . . . . .	1864	William E. Barrett, . . . . .	1893
Alexander H. Bullock, . . . . .	1865	George v. L. Meyer, . . . . .	1894
James M. Stone, . . . . .	1866	George v. L. Meyer, . . . . .	1895
James M. Stone, . . . . .	1867	George v. L. Meyer, . . . . .	1896
Harvey Jewell, . . . . .	1868	John L. Bates, . . . . .	1897
Harvey Jewell, . . . . .	1869	John L. Bates, . . . . .	1898
Harvey Jewell, . . . . .	1870	John L. Bates, . . . . .	1899
Harvey Jewell, . . . . .	1871	James J. Myers, . . . . .	1900
John E. Sanford, . . . . .	1872	James J. Myers, . . . . .	1901
John E. Sanford, . . . . .	1873	James J. Myers, . . . . .	1902
John E. Sanford, . . . . .	1874	James J. Myers, . . . . .	1903
John E. Sanford, . . . . .	1875	Louis A. Frothingham, . . . . .	1904
John D. Long, . . . . .	1876	Louis A. Frothingham, . . . . .	1905
John D. Long, . . . . .	1877	John N. Cole, . . . . .	1906
John D. Long, . . . . .	1878	John N. Cole, . . . . .	1907
Levi C. Wade, . . . . .	1879		
Charles J. Noyes, . . . . .	1880		
Charles J. Noyes, . . . . .	1881		
Charles J. Noyes, . . . . .	1882		

## CLERKS.

Andrew Henshaw, . . . . .	1780-81	William Stowe, . . . . .	1854
George Richards Minot, . . . . .	1782-91	Henry A. Marsh, . . . . .	1855
Henry Warren, . . . . .	1792-1802	William E. P. Haskell, . . . . .	1856
Nicholas Tillinghast, . . . . .	1803-05	William Stowe, . . . . .	1857-61
Chas. Pinckney Sumner, . . . . .	1806-07	William S. Robinson, . . . . .	1862-72
Nicholas Tillinghast, . . . . .	1808-09	Charles H. Taylor, . . . . .	1873
Chas. Pinckney Sumner, . . . . .	1810-11	George A. Marden, . . . . .	1874-82
Benjamin Pollard, . . . . .	1812-21	Edward A. McLaughlin, . . . . .	1883-95
Pelham W. Warren, . . . . .	1822-31	George T. Sleeper, . . . . .	1896
Luther S. Cushing, . . . . .	1832-43	James W. Kimball, . . . . .	1897-
Charles W. Storey, . . . . .	1844-50		
Lewis Josselyn, . . . . .	1851-52		
William Schouler, . . . . .	1853		



**SERGEANTS-AT-ARMS.\***

Benjamin Stevens, .	1835-59	Charles G. Davis,† .	1901-03
John Morrissey, . .	1859-74	David T. Remington, .	1904-
Oreb F. Mitchell, . .	1875-85		
John G. B. Adams,† .	1886-1900		

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\* The office of Sergeant-at-Arms was established by law in 1835. Previously to that time Jacob Kuhn was Messenger to the General Court from 1786. William Baker preceded him from the first session under the Constitution in 1780-81, he having also served in a similar position for many years previously thereto.

† Mr Adams died Oct. 19, 1900. Mr. Davis was appointed Acting Sergeant-at-Arms Oct. 24, 1900.

**Table showing the Length of the Sessions of the Legislature and the Number of Representatives in Each Year since 1832.**

YEAR.	Time of Meeting.	Prorogued.	Length of Session.	No. of Reps.
1832, . . . . .	January 4.	March 24.	80 days.	528
1833, . . . . .	2.	28.	86 "	574
1834, . . . . .	1.	April 2.	92 "	570
1835,* . . . . .	7.	8.	92 "	615
1836, . . . . .	6.	16.	102 "	619
1837, . . . . .	4.	20.	107 "	635
1838, . . . . .	3.	25.	113 "	480
1839, . . . . .	2.	10.	99 "	521
1840, . . . . .	1.	March 24.	84 "	521
1841, . . . . .	6.	18.	72 "	397
1842,* . . . . .	5.	3.	58 "	336
1843, . . . . .	4.	24.	80 "	352
1844, . . . . .	3.	16.	74 "	321
1845, . . . . .	1.	26.	85 "	271
1846, . . . . .	7.	April 16.	100 "	264
1847, . . . . .	6.	16.	111 "	255
1848,* . . . . .	5.	May 10.	127 "	272
1849, . . . . .	3.	2.	120 "	263
1850, . . . . .	2.	3.	122 "	297
1851, . . . . .	1.	24.	146 "	396
1852, . . . . .	8.	22.	137 "	402
1853, . . . . .	5.	25.	142 "	288
1854, . . . . .	4.	April 29.	116 "	310
1855, . . . . .	8.	May 21.	138 "	380
1856, . . . . .	1.	June 6.	158 "	329
1857,* . . . . .	7.	May 30.	144 "	357
1858, . . . . .	6.	March 27.	81 "	240
1859,* . . . . .	5.	April 6.	92 "	240
1860,* . . . . .	4.	4.	92 "	240
1861,* . . . . .	2.	11.	100 "	240
1862, . . . . .	1.	30.	120 "	240

\* There was an extra session of sixty-two days in 1835, to revise the statutes; one of nine days in 1842, to divide the Commonwealth into Congressional Districts; one of three days in 1848, to choose electors of President and Vice-President; one of eighteen days in 1857, to establish districts for the choice of Councillors, Representatives and Senators; one of one hundred and thirteen days in 1859, to revise the general statutes; one of fourteen days in 1860, to consider the subject of the disease among the cattle of the Commonwealth; one of ten days in 1861, to consider the duty of the Commonwealth in relation to public affairs, consequent on the Rebellion; one of eight days in 1863, to provide for raising the quota under the call of the President of the United States of the 17th of October, 1863, for 300,000 men; one of thirty days in 1872, to consider what legislation was necessary by reason of the great fire in Boston, November 9 and 10; one of ten days in 1881 and one of seven days in 1901, to act upon the report of a joint special committee to revise the statutes.

Y E A R .	Time of Meeting.	Prorogued.	Length of Session.	No. of Reps.
1863,* . . . . .	January 7.	April 29.	113 days.	240
1864, . . . . .	6.	May 14.	180 "	240
1865, . . . . .	4.	17.	187 "	240
1866, . . . . .	3.	30.	147 "	240
1867, . . . . .	2.	June 1.	150 "	240
1868, . . . . .	1.	12.	164 "	240
1869, . . . . .	6.	24.	170 "	240
1870, . . . . .	5.	23.	170 "	240
1871, . . . . .	4.	May 31.	148 "	240
1872,* . . . . .	3.	7.	126 "	240
1873, . . . . .	1.	June 12.	163 "	240
1874, . . . . .	7.	30.	175 "	240
1875, . . . . .	6.	May 19.	134 "	240
1876, . . . . .	5.	April 28.	115 "	240
1877, . . . . .	3.	May 17.	135 "	240
1878, . . . . .	2.	17.	136 "	240
1879, . . . . .	1.	April 30.	120 "	240
1880, . . . . .	7.	24.	109 "	240
1881,* . . . . .	5.	May 13.	129 "	240
1882, . . . . .	4.	27.	144 "	240
1883, . . . . .	3.	July 27.	206 "	240
1884, . . . . .	2.	June 4.	155 "	240
1885, . . . . .	7.	19.	164 "	240
1886, . . . . .	6.	30.	176 "	240
1887, . . . . .	5.	16.	163 "	240
1888, . . . . .	4.	May 29.	147 "	240
1889, . . . . .	2.	June 7.	157 "	240
1890, . . . . .	1.	July 2.	183 "	240
1891, . . . . .	7.	June 11.	156 "	240
1892, . . . . .	6.	17.	163 "	240
1893, . . . . .	4.	9.	157 "	240
1894, . . . . .	3.	July 2.	181 "	240
1895, . . . . .	2.	June 5.	155 "	240
1896, . . . . .	1.	10.	162 "	240
1897, . . . . .	6.	12.	158 "	240
1898, . . . . .	5.	23.	170 "	240
1899, . . . . .	4.	3.	151 "	240
1900, . . . . .	3.	July 17.	196 "	240
1901,* . . . . .	2.	June 19.	169 "	240
1902, . . . . .	1.	28.	179 "	240
1903, . . . . .	7.	26.	171 "	240
1904, . . . . .	6.	9.	156 "	240
1905, . . . . .	4.	May 26.	143 "	240
1906, . . . . .	3.	June 29.	178 "	240

\* See note on preceding page.

**JUDICIARY.**

*Judges of the Superior Court of Judicature of the Province of  
Massachusetts Bay, from 1692 to 1775.\**

**CHIEF JUSTICES.**

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1692. William Stoughton, . . .	1701. Resigned.	1701.
1701. Wait Winthrop, . . .	1701. Resigned.	1717.
1702. Isaac Addington, . . .	1703. Resigned.	1715.
1708. Wait Winthrop, . . .	1717.	1717.
1718. Samuel Sewall, . . .	1728. Resigned.	1730.
1729. Benjamin Lynde, . . .	1745.	1745.
1745. Paul Dudley, . . .	1751.	1751.
1752. Stephen Sewall, . . .	1760.	1760.
1761. Thomas Hutchinson, . . .	1769. Acting Governor.	1780.
1769. Benjamin Lynde, . . .	1771. Resigned.	1781.
1772. Peter Oliver, . . .	1775. Removed at Revolution.	1791.

**JUSTICES.**

1692. Thomas Danforth, . . .	1699.	1699.
1692. Wait Winthrop, . . .	1701. Resigned.	1717.
1692. John Richards, . . .	1694.	1694.
1692. Samuel Sewall, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1718.)	1730.
1695. Elisha Cooke, . . .	1702. Removed.	1715.
1700. John Walley, . . .	1712.	1712.
1701. John Saffin, . . .	1702. Removed.	1710.
1702. John Hathorne, . . .	1712. Resigned.	1717.
1702. John Leverett, . . .	1708. Resigned.	1724.
1708. Jonathan Curwin, . . .	1715. Resigned.	1718.
1712. Benjamin Lynde, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1729.)	1745.
1712. Nathaniel Thomas, . . .	1718. Resigned.	1718.
1715. Addington Davenport, . . .	1736.	1736.
1718. Paul Dudley, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1745.)	1751.
1718. Edmund Quincy, . . .	1737.	1737.
1728. John Cushing, . . .	1733. Removed.	1737.
1733. Jonathan Remington, . . .	1745.	1745.
1736. Richard Saltonstall, . . .	1756.	1756.
1737. Thomas Greaves, . . .	1738. Resigned.	1747.
1739. Stephen Sewall, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1752.)	1760.

\* The judges died in office, except where otherwise stated.

APPOINTED	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1745. Nathaniel Hubbard, . . .	1746. Resigned.	1748.
1745. Benjamin Lynde, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1769.)	1781.
1747. John Cushing, . . .	1771. Resigned.	1778.
1752. Chambers Russell, . . .	1766.	1766.
1756. Peter Oliver, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1772.)	1791.
1767. Edmund Trowbridge, . . .	1775. Resigned.	1793.
1771. Foster Hutchinson, . . .	1775. Removed at Revolution.	1799.
1772. Nathaniel Ropes, . . .	1774.	1774.
1772. William Cushing, . . .	1775. Removed at Revolution.	1810.
1774. William Browne, . . .	1775. Removed at Revolution.	1802.

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*Justices of the Superior Court of Judicature and the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts since the Revolution.*

CHIEF JUSTICES.

APPOINTED	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1775. John Adams, . . .	1776. Resigned.*	1826.
1777. William Cushing, . . .	1789. Resigned.†	1810.
1790. Nathaniel Peaslee Sargent, . . .	1791.	1791.
1791. Francis Dana, . . .	1806. Resigned.	1811.
1806. Theophilus Parsons, . . .	1813.	1813.
1814. Samuel Sewall, . . .	1814.	1814.
1814. Isaac Parker, . . .	1830.	1830.
1830. Lemuel Shaw, . . .	1860. Resigned.	1861.
1860. George Tyler Bigelow, . . .	1868. Resigned.	1878.
1868. Reuben Atwater Chapman, . . .	1873.	1873.
1873. Horace Gray,‡ . . .	1882.	1902.
1882. Marcus Morton, . . .	1890. Resigned.	1891.
1890. Walbridge Abner Field, . . .	1899.	1899.
1899. Oliver Wendell Holmes,§ . . .	1902.	
1902. Marcus Perrin Knowlton, . . .		

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\* Mr. Adams never took his seat on the bench.

† Chief Justice Cushing resigned on being appointed one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

‡ Chief Justice Gray vacated his office by accepting an appointment as one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

§ Chief Justice Holmes vacated his office by accepting an appointment as one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

## JUSTICES.

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1775. William Cushing, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1777.)	1810.
1775. Nathaniel Peaslee Sargent, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1790.)	1791.
1775. William Reed, . . .	1776. Superseded.	1780.
1776. Jedediah Foster, . . .	1779.	1779.
1776. James Sullivan, . . .	1782. Resigned.	1806.
1777. David Sewall, . . .	1789. Resigned.*	1825.
1782. Increase Sumner, . . .	1797. Elected Governor.	1799.
1785. Francis Dana, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1791.)	1811.
1790. Robert Treat Paine, . . .	1804. Resigned.	1814.
1790. Nathan Cushing, . . .	1800. Resigned.	1812.
1792. Thomas Dawes, . . .	1802. Resigned.	1825.
1797. Theophilus Bradbury, . . .	1803. Removed.†	1803.
1800. Samuel Sewall, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1814.)	1814.
1801. Simeon Strong, . . .	1805.	1805.
1801. George Thacher, . . .	1824. Resigned.	1824.
1802. Theodore Sedgwick, . . .	1813.	1813.
1806. Isaac Parker, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1814.)	1830.
1813. Charles Jackson, . . .	1823. Resigned.	1855.
1814. Daniel Dewey, . . .	1815.	1815.
1814. Samuel Putnam, . . .	1842. Resigned.	1853.
1815. Samuel Sumner Wilde, . . .	1850. Resigned.	1855.
1824. Levi Lincoln, . . .	1825. Elected Governor.	1868.
1825. Marcus Morton, . . .	1840. Elected Governor.	1864.
1837. Charles Augustus Dewey, . . .	1866.	1866.
1842. Samuel Hubbard, . . .	1847.	1847.
1848. Charles Edward Forbes, . . .	1848. Resigned.	1881.
1848. Theron Metcalf, . . .	1865. Resigned.	1875.
1848. Richard Fletcher, . . .	1853. Resigned.	1869.
1850. George Tyler Bigelow, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1860.)	1878.
1852. Caleb Cushing, . . .	1853. Resigned.‡	1879.
1858. Benj. Franklin Thomas, . . .	1859. Resigned.	1878.
1853. Pliny Merrick, . . .	1864. Resigned.	1867.
1859. Ebenezer Rockwood Hoar, . . .	1869. Resigned.‡	1895.

\* Mr. Justice Sewall resigned on being appointed Judge of the United States District Court for the District of Maine.

† Mr. Justice Bradbury was removed on account of physical disability.

‡ Mr. Justice Cushing and Mr. Justice Hoar resigned on being appointed to the office of Attorney-General of the United States.

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1860. Reuben Atwater Chapman,	(Appointed C. J., 1868.)	1873.
1864. Horace Gray, Jr., . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1873.)	1902.
1865. James Denison Colt, . . .	1866. Resigned.	1881.
1866. Dwight Foster, . . .	1869. Resigned.	1884.
1866. John Wells, . . .	1875.	1875.
1868. James Denison Colt, . . .	1881.	1881.
1869. Seth Ames, . . .	1881. Resigned.	1881.
1869. Marcus Morton, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1882.)	1891.
1873. Wm. Crowninshield Endicott,	1882. Resigned.	1900.
1873. Charles Devens, Jr., . . .	1877. Resigned.*	1891.
1875. Otis Phillips Lord, . . .	1882. Resigned.	1884.
1877. Augustus Lord Soule, . . .	1881. Resigned.	1887.
1881. Walbridge Abner Field, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1890.)	1899.
1881. Charles Devens,* . . .	1891.	1891.
1881. William Allen, . . .	1891.	1891.
1882. Charles Allen, . . .	1898. Resigned.	
1882. Waldo Colburn, . . .	1885.	1885.
1882. Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr.,	(Appointed C. J., 1899.)	
1885. William Sewall Gardner, . . .	1887. Resigned.	1888.
1887. Marcus Perrin Knowlton, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1902.)	
1890. James Madison Morton.		
1891. John Lathrop, . . .	1906. Resigned.	
1891. James Madison Barker, . . .	1905.	1905.
1898. John Wilkes Hammond.		
1899. William Caleb Loring.		
1902. Henry King Braley.		
1905. Henry Newton Sheldon.		
1906. Arthur Prentice Rugg.		

*Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, from its Establishment in 1820 until its Abolition in 1859.*

CHIEF JUSTICES.

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED
1820. Artemas Ward, . . .	1839. Resigned.	1847.
1839. John Mason Williams, . . .	1844. Resigned.	1868.
1844. Daniel Wells, . . .	1854.	1854.
1854. Edward Mellen, . . .	1859.	1875.

\* Mr. Justice Devens resigned on being appointed to the office of Attorney-General of the United States, and was reappointed to the Supreme Bench in 1881,

## JUSTICES.

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1820. Solomon Strong, . . .	1842. Resigned.	1850.
1820. John Mason Williams, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1839.)	1868.
1820. Samuel Howe, . . .	1828.	1828.
1828. David Cummins, . . .	1844. Resigned.	1855.
1839. Charles Henry Warren, . . .	1844. Resigned.	1874.
1842. Charles Allen, . . .	1844. Resigned.	1869.
1843. Pliny Merrick, . . .	1848. Resigned.	1867.
1844. Joshua Holyoke Ward, . . .	1848.	1848.
1844. Emory Washburn, . . .	1847. Resigned.	1877.
1844. Luther Stearns Cushing, . . .	1848. Resigned.	1856.
1845. Harrison Gray Otis Colby, . . .	1847. Resigned.	1853.
1847. Charles Edward Forbes, . . .	1848. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1881.
1847. Edward Mellen, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1854.)	1875.
1848. George Tyler Bigelow, . . .	1850. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1878.
1848. Jonathan Cogswell Perkins, . . .	1859.	1877.
1848. Horatio Byington, . . .	1856.	1856.
1848. Thomas Hopkinson, . . .	1849. Resigned.	1856.
1849. Ebenezer Rockwood Hoar, . . .	1855. Resigned.	1895.
1850. Pliny Merrick, . . .	1853. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1867.
1851. Henry Walker Bishop, . . .	1859.	1871.
1853. George Nixon Briggs, . . .	1859.	1861.
1854. George Partridge Sanger, . . .	1859.	1890.
1855. Henry Morris, . . .	1859.	1888.
1856. David Aiken, . . .	1859.	1895.

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*Justices of the Superior Court for the County of Suffolk, from its Establishment in 1855 until its Abolition in 1859.*

## CHIEF JUSTICES.

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1855. Albert Hobart Nelson, . . .	1857.	1858.
1858. Charles Allen,* . . .	1859.	1869.

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\* In 1859 Charles Allen became the first Chief Justice of the Superior Court of the Commonwealth.



JUSTICES.

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1855. Josiah Gardner Abbott, .	1858.	1891.
1855. Charles Phelps Huntington,	1859.	1868.
1855. Stephen Gordon Nash, .	1859.	1894.
1858. Marcus Morton,* . . .	1859.	1891.

*Justices of the Superior Court since its Establishment in 1859.*

CHIEF JUSTICES.

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1859. Charles Allen, . . .	1867. Resigned.	1869.
1867. Seth Ames, . . .	1869. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1881.
1869. Lincoln Flagg Brigham, .	1890. Resigned.	1895.
1890. Albert Mason, . . .	1905.	1905.
1905. John Adams Aiken.		

JUSTICES.

1859. Julius Rockwell, . . .	1886. Resigned.	1888.
1859. Otis Phillips Lord, . .	1875. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1884.
1859. Marcus Morton, . . .	1869. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1891.
1859. Seth Ames, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1867.)	1881.
1859. Ezra Wilkinson, . . .	1882.	1882.
1859. Henry Vose, . . .	1869.	1869.
1859. Thomas Russell, . . .	1867. Resigned.	1887.
1859. John Phelps Putnam, . .	1882.	1882.
1859. Lincoln Flagg Brigham, .	(Appointed C. J., 1869.)	1895.
1867. Chester Isham Reed, . .	1871. Resigned.	1873.
1867. Charles Devens, Jr., . .	1873. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1891.
1869. Henry Austin Scudder, .	1872. Resigned.	1895.
1869. Francis Henshaw Dewey, .	1881. Resigned. ♦	1887.
1869. Robert Carter Pitman, . .	1891.	1891.
1871. John William Bacon, . .	1888.	1888.
1872. William Allen, . . .	1881. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1891.
1873. Peleg Emory Aldrich, . .	1895.	1895.
1875. Waldo Colburn, . . .	1882. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1885.

\* In 1859 Marcus Morton became one of the Associate Justices of the Superior Court of the Commonwealth.

APPOINTED.	LEFT THE BENCH.	DIED.
1875. William Sewall Gardner, .	1885. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	1888.
1881. Hamilton Barclay Staples, .	1891.	1891.
1881. Marcus Perrin Knowlton, .	1887. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	
1882. Caleb Blodgett, . . .	1900. Resigned.	1901.
1882. Albert Mason, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1890.)	1905.
1882. James Madison Barker, .	1891. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	
1885. Charles Perkins Thompson, .	1894.	1894.
1886. John Wilkes Hammond, .	1898. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	
1886. Justin Dewey, . . .	1900.	1900.
1887. Edgar Jay Sherman.		
1888. John Lathrop, . . .	1891. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	
1888. James Robert Dunbar, .	1898. Resigned.	
1888. Robert Roberts Bishop.		
1890. Daniel Webster Bond.		
1891. Henry King Braley, . . .	1902. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	
1891. John Hopkins, . . .	1902.	1902.
1891. Elisha Burr Maynard, .	1906.	1906.
1891. Franklin Goodridge Fessenden.		
1892. John William Corcoran, .	1893. Resigned.	
1892. James Bailey Richardson.		
1893. Charles Sumner Lilley, .	1900. Resigned.	
1894. Henry Newton Sheldon, .	1905. App'd to Sup. Jud. C't.	
1895. Francis Almon Gaskill.		
1896. John Henry Hardy.		
1896. Henry Wardwell, . . .	1898. Resigned.	
1898. William Burnham Stevens.		
1898. Charles Upham Bell.		
1898. John Adams Aiken, . . .	(Appointed C. J., 1905.)	
1900. Frederick Lawton.		
1900. Edward Peter Pierce.		
1900. Jabez Fox.		
1902. Charles Ambrose DeCourcy.		
1902. Robert Orr Harris.		
1902. Lemuel LeBaron Holmes.		
1902. William Cushing Wait.		
1902. William Schofield.		
1903. Lloyd Everett White.		
1903. Loranus Eaton Hitchcock.		
1905. John Crawford Crosby.		
1905. John Joseph Flaherty, .	1906.	1906.
1906. William Franklin Dana.		
1906. John Freeman Brown.		

**PRESENT ORGANIZATION OF THE COURTS.**

[Corrected to Jan. 10, 1907.]

[All judges in the Commonwealth are appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council, and hold office during good behavior.]

**SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.**

**Marcus Perrin Knowlton of Springfield, *Chief Justice.***

*Justices.*

James Madison Morton of Fall River.	Henry King Braley of Fall River.
John Wilkes Hammond of Cambridge.	Henry Newton Sheldon of Boston.
William Caleb Loring of Boston.	Arthur Prentice Rugg of Worcester.

Clarence H. Cooper, *Clerk*, 1909.

Henry W. Swift of Boston, *Reporter of Decisions.*

**SUPERIOR COURT.**

**John Adams Aiken of Greenfield, *Chief Justice.***

*Justices.*

Edgar Jay Sherman of Lawrence.	Charles Ambrose DeCourcy of Lawrence.
Robert Roberts Bishop of Newton.	Robert Orr Harris of East Bridgewater.
Daniel Webster Bond of Waltham.	Lemuel LeBaron Holmes of New Bedford.
Franklin Goodridge Fessenden of Greenfield.	William Cushing Walt of Medford.
James Bailey Richardson of Boston.	William Schofield of Malden.
Francis Almon Gaskill of Worcester.	Lloyd Everett White of Taunton.
John Henry Hardy of Arlington.	Loranus Eaton Hitchcock of Chicopee.
William Burnham Stevens of Stoneham.	John Crawford Crosby of Pittsfield.
Charles Upham Bell of Andover.	William Franklin Dana of Newton.
Frederick Lawton of Lowell.	John Freeman Brown of Milton.
Edward Peter Pierce of Fitchburg.	
Jabez Fox of Cambridge.	

**PROBATE COURTS AND COURTS OF INSOLVENCY.**

There is a PROBATE COURT and a COURT OF INSOLVENCY in each county, distinct in their jurisdiction, powers, proceedings and practice, but having the same judge and register. These courts are held by the judge of probate and insolvency appointed for the county; but the judges of the several counties may, in case of necessity or convenience, interchange services, and perform each other's duties.

The names of the judges, registers and assistant registers may be found among the list of County Officers.

**LAND COURT.**

(Pemberton Building.)

*Judge*, Leonard A. Jones of Boston. *Associate Judge*, Charles T. Davis of Beverly. *Recorder*, Clarence C. Smith of Everett, 1908.

**BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.**

*Justice*, Harvey Humphrey Baker. *Special Justices*, Frank Leveroni, Philip Rubenstein. *Clerk*, Charles W. M. Williams, 1911.

**MUNICIPAL COURTS.**

**BOSTON.**—*Chief Justice*, Wilfred Bolster. *Associate Justices*, William J. Forsaith, Frederick D. Ely, John H. Burke, George L. Wentworth, James P. Parmenter, William Sullivan, Michael J. Murray. *Special Justices*, John A. Bennett, John Duff. *Clerks*, Orsino G. Sleeper, civil business, 1909; Oscar F. Timlin, 1st assistant; Henry R. W. Browne, 2d assistant; Warren C. Travis, 3d assistant; Herbert C. Blackmer, 4th assistant; Clesson S. Curtice, 5th assistant. Frederic C. Ingalls, criminal business, 1911; Edward J. Lord, 1st assistant; Sidney P. Brown, 2d assistant; Edward H. Cutler, 3d assistant; John F. Barry, 4th assistant; Harvey B. Hudson, additional assistant.

**BRIGHTON DISTRICT.**—*Justice*, Charles A. Barnard. *Special Justices*, Robert W. Frost, Harry C. Fabyan. *Clerk*, Henry P. Kennedy, 1909.

**CHARLESTOWN DISTRICT.**—*Justice*, Henry W. Bragg. *Special Justices*, William H. Preble, Joseph J. Corbett. *Clerk*, Mark E. Smith, 1907.

**DORCHESTER DISTRICT.**—*Justice*, Joseph R. Churchill. *Special Justices*, George M. Reed, Louis M. Clark. *Clerk*, N. Thomas Merritt, Jr., 1910.

ROXBURY DISTRICT.—*Justice*, Solomon A. Bolster. *Special Justices*, A. Nathan Williams, Joseph N. Palmer. *Clerk*, Maurice J. O'Connell, 1908.

SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.—*Justice*, Joseph D. Fallon. *Special Justices*, Josiah S. Dean, Ralph W. Gloag. *Clerk*, Frank J. Tuttle, 1909.

WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.—*Justice*, John Perrins, Jr. *Special Justices*, Henry Austin, J. Albert Brackett. *Clerk*, Edward W. Brewer, 1907.

BROOKLINE.—*Justice*, Charles F. Perkins. *Special Justices*, Philip S. Parker, Henry Ware. *Clerk*, Daniel A. Rollins, 1910.

#### POLICE COURTS.

BROCKTON (jurisdiction in Brockton, Bridgewater, East Bridgewater and West Bridgewater).—*Justice*, Warren A. Reed. *Special Justices*, Frederick M. Bixby, Charles Carroll King. *Clerk*, Harry W. Flagg, 1909.

CHELSEA (jurisdiction in Chelsea and Revere).—*Justice*, Albert D. Bosson. *Special Justices*, Samuel R. Cutler, George M. Stearns. *Clerk*, Joseph M. Curley, 1907.

CHICOPEE.—*Justice*, Luther White. *Special Justices*, James H. Loomis, John P. Kirby. *Clerk*, Cornelius J. Driscoll, 1911.

FITCHBURG (jurisdiction in Fitchburg, Ashburnham, Lunenburg and Princeton).—*Justice*, Thomas F. Gallagher. *Special Justices*, Charles H. Blood, Clark A. Batchelder. *Clerk*, Wylon G. Hayes, 1907.

HOLYOKE.—*Justice*, Edward W. Chapin. *Special Justices*, John Hildreth, Robert A. Allyn. *Clerk*, Thomas J. Tierney, 1911.

LAWRENCE.—*Justice*, Jeremiah J. Mahoney. *Special Justices*, Harry R. Dow, Wilbur E. Rowell. *Clerk*, William F. Moyes, 1911.

LEE.—*Justice*, Patricius H. Oasey. *Special Justices*, Henry C. Phelps, Edward S. Rogers. *Clerk*, John T. Wilson, 1910.

LOWELL (jurisdiction in Lowell, Tewksbury, Billerica, Dracut, Chelmsford, Dunstable and Tyngsborough).—*Justice*, Samuel P. Hadley. *Special Justices*, John J. Pickman, Frederic A. Fisher. *Clerk*, James F. Savage, 1910. *Assistant Clerk*, Edward W. Trull.

LYNN.—*Justice*, John W. Berry. *Special Justices*, James H. Sisk, Henry T. Lummus. *Clerk*, Charles Leighton, 1911.

**MARLBOROUGH.** — *Justice*, James W. McDonald. *Special Justices*, William D. Burdett, Edgar Weeks. *Clerk*, James F. J. Otterson, 1911.

**NEWBURYPORT** (jurisdiction in Newburyport and Newbury). — *Justice*, Thomas C. Simpson. *Special Justices*, Horace L. Bartlett, Nathaniel N. Jones. *Clerk*, Edward F. Bartlett, 1911.

**NEWTON.** — *Justice*, John C. Kennedy. *Special Justices*, William F. Bacon, Frank M. Copeland. *Clerk*, Francis W. Sprague, 2d, 1908.

**SOMERVILLE.** — *Justice*, L. Roger Wentworth. *Special Justices*, John Haskell Butler, Michael F. Farrell. *Clerk*, Herbert A. Chapin, 1907.

**SPRINGFIELD** (jurisdiction in Springfield, Agawam, Longmeadow, East Longmeadow, Hampden, West Springfield and Wilbraham). — *Justice*, Henry W. Bosworth. *Special Justices*, Alfred M. Copeland, Edwin F. Lyford. *Clerk*, George Leonard, 1909.

**WILLIAMSTOWN.** — *Justice*, Sanborn G. Tenney. *Special Justices*, Michael Monahan, William Cook Hart. *Clerk*, Michael L. Monahan, 1911.

#### DISTRICT COURTS.

**EAST BOSTON** (court held at East Boston; jurisdiction in Winthrop and the district and territory included in Wards 1 and 2 of the city of Boston as such wards existed March 1, 1886). — *Justice*, Albert E. Clary. *Special Justices*, Joseph H. Barnes, Jr., Frank E. Dimick. *Clerk*, Thomas H. Dalton, 1908.

**FIRST BARNSTABLE** (court held at Barnstable and Bourne; jurisdiction in Barnstable, Bourne, Yarmouth, Sandwich, Falmouth and Mashpee). — *Justice*, Frederick C. Swift. *Special Justices*, Henry M. Hutchings, Charles O. Paine.

**SECOND BARNSTABLE** (court held at Harwich and Provincetown; jurisdiction in Provincetown, Truro, Wellfleet, Eastham, Orleans, Brewster, Chatham, Harwich and Dennis). — *Justice*, Raymond A. Hopkins. *Special Justices*, Tully Crosby, George T. Wyer.

**CENTRAL BERKSHIRE** (court held at Pittsfield; jurisdiction in Pittsfield, Hancock, Lanesborough, Peru, Hinsdale, Dalton, Washington and Richmond). — *Justice*, Joseph Tucker. *Special Justices*, Hiram B. Wellington, Charles L. Hibbard. *Clerk*, Walter B. Smith, 1907.

**NORTHERN BERKSHIRE** (court held at North Adams; jurisdiction in North Adams, Clarksburg and Florida). — *Justice*, Carlton T. Phelps. *Special Justices*, Charles J. Parkhurst, John E. Magenis. *Clerk*, Edwin B. Cady, 1908.

**SOUTHERN BERKSHIRE** (court held at Great Barrington; jurisdiction in Sheffield, Great Barrington, Egremont, Alford, Mount Washington, Monterey and New Marlborough). — *Justice*, Walter B. Sanford. *Special Justices*, Frank H. Wright, Herbert C. Joyner. *Clerk*, Henry L. Wilcox, 1910.

**FOURTH BERKSHIRE** (court held at Adams; jurisdiction in Adams, Cheshire, Savoy and Windsor). — *Justice*, Nelson H. Bixby. *Special Justices*, Henry L. Harrington, William S. Morton. *Clerk*, Franklin H. B. Munson, 1910.

**FIRST BRISTOL** (court held at Taunton; jurisdiction in Taunton, Rehoboth, Berkley, Dighton, Seekonk, Easton and Raynham). — *Justice*, William H. Fox. *Special Justices*, Frederick E. Austin, William S. Woods. *Clerk*, George F. Williams, 1908.

**SECOND BRISTOL** (court held at Fall River; jurisdiction in Fall River, Freetown, Somerset and Swansea). — *Justice*, John J. McDonough. *Special Justices*, Benjamin K. Lovatt, Benjamin Cook, Jr. *Clerk*, Augustus B. Leonard, 1909.

**THIRD BRISTOL** (court held at New Bedford; jurisdiction in New Bedford, Fairhaven, Acushnet, Dartmouth and Westport). — *Justice*, Frank A. Milliken. *Special Justices*, Albert E. Clarke, James L. Gillingham. *Clerk*, Frank Vera, Jr., 1907.

[The second and third district courts of Bristol have concurrent jurisdiction in Westport and Freetown.]

**FOURTH BRISTOL** (court held at Attleborough; jurisdiction in Attleborough, North Attleborough, Mansfield and Norton). — *Justice*, Frederick B. Byram. *Special Justices*, Charles C. Hagerty, Philip E. Brady. *Clerk*, Edwin F. Thayer, 1908.

**DUKES COUNTY** (court held at Cottage City, Edgartown and Tisbury; jurisdiction in Edgartown, Cottage City, Tisbury, West Tisbury, Chilmark, Gay Head and Gosnold). — *Justice*, Edmund G. Eldridge. *Special Justices*, Beriah T. Hillman, Everett Allen Davis.

**FIRST ESSEX** (court held at Salem; jurisdiction in Salem, Beverly, Danvers, Hamilton, Middleton, Topsfield and Wenham). — *Justice*, George B. Sears. *Special Justices*, Nathaniel J. Holden, Edward O. Battis. *Clerk*, Frank V. Wright, 1907.

**SECOND ESSEX** (court held at Amesbury; jurisdiction in Amesbury and Merrimac). — *Justice*, George W. Cate. *Special Justices*, M. Perry Sargent, William Smeath. *Clerk*, Fred A. Brown, 1911.

**THIRD ESSEX** (court held at Ipswich; jurisdiction in Ipswich).—*Justice*, Charles A. Sayward. *Special Justices*, E. Mark Sullivan, George H. W. Hayes.

**EASTERN ESSEX** (court held at Gloucester; jurisdiction in Gloucester, Rockport and Essex).—*Justice*, Sumner D. York. *Special Justices*, Lincoln S. Simonds, William W. French. *Clerk*, Carleton H. Parsons, 1910.

**NORTHERN ESSEX** (court held at Haverhill; jurisdiction in Haverhill, Groveland, Georgetown and Boxford).—*Justice*, Edmund B. Fuller. *Special Justices*, John J. Winn, John J. Ryan. *Clerk*, Horace M. Sargent, 1911.

**FRANKLIN** (court held at Greenfield, Turner's Falls and Shelburne Falls; jurisdiction in Ashfield, Bernardston, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Deerfield, Gill, Greenfield, Hawley, Heath, Leverett, Leyden, Monroe, Montague, Northfield, Rowe, Shelburne, Shutesbury, Sunderland and Whately).—*Justice*, Henry J. Field. *Special Justices*, Samuel D. Conant, James J. Leary. *Clerk*, William S. Allen, 1911.

**EASTERN FRANKLIN** (court held at Orange; jurisdiction in Orange, Erving, Warwick, Wendell and New Salem).—*Justice*, Elisha S. Hall. *Special Justices*, Willard Putnam, Hartley R. Walker. *Clerk*, Israel Newton, 1909.

**EASTERN HAMPDEN** (court held at Palmer; jurisdiction in Palmer, Brimfield, Monson, Holland and Wales).—*Justice*, Thomas W. Kenefick. *Special Justices*, Herbert A. McFarland, David T. Dillon. *Clerk*, Arthur E. Fitch, 1911.

**WESTERN HAMPDEN** (court held at Westfield and Chester; jurisdiction in Westfield, Chester, Granville, Southwick, Russell, Blandford, Tolland and Montgomery).—*Justice*, Willis S. Kellogg. *Special Justices*, Alfred F. Lilley, Robert C. Parker. *Clerk*, William K. Baschmann, 1911.

**HAMPSHIRE** (court held at Northampton, Amherst, Cummington, Belchertown, Huntington and Easthampton; jurisdiction in Amherst, Belchertown, Chesterfield, Cummington, Easthampton, Goshen, Granby, Hadley, Hatfield, Huntington, Middlefield, Northampton, Pelham, Plainfield, South Hadley, Southampton, Westhampton, Williamsburg and Worthington).—*Justice*, William P. Strickland. *Special Justices*, John W. Mason, Winslow H. Edwards. *Clerk*, John A. Crosier, 1909.

**EASTERN HAMPSHIRE** (court held at Ware; jurisdiction in Ware, Enfield, Greenwich and Prescott).—*Justice*, Henry C. Davis. *Special Justice*, George D. Storrs. *Clerk*, J. Gardner Lincoln, 1908.



**CENTRAL MIDDLESEX** (court held at Concord; jurisdiction in Acton, Bedford, Carlisle, Concord, Lincoln, Maynard, Stow and Lexington). — *Justice*, John S. Keyes. *Special Justices*, Prescott Keyes, Elihu G. Loomis. *Clerk*, Edward F. Loughlin, 1910.

**FIRST EASTERN MIDDLESEX** (court held at Malden; jurisdiction in North Reading, Wakefield, Melrose, Malden, Everett and Medford). — *Justice*, B. Marvin Fernald. *Special Justice*, E. Leroy Sweetser. *Clerk*, William N. Tyler, 1907. *Assistant Clerk*, Wilfred B. Tyler.

**SECOND EASTERN MIDDLESEX** (court held at Waltham; jurisdiction in Watertown, Weston and Waltham). — *Justice*, Enos T. Luce. *Special Justices*, Samuel P. Abbott, Edward Irving Smith. *Clerk*, Dudley Roberts, 1910.

**THIRD EASTERN MIDDLESEX** (court held at Cambridge; jurisdiction in Arlington, Belmont and Cambridge). — *Justice*, Charles Almy. *Special Justices*, Arthur P. Stone, Robert Walcott. *Clerk*, Emerson W. Law, 1907.

**FOURTH EASTERN MIDDLESEX** (court held at Woburn; jurisdiction in Woburn, Winchester, Burlington, Wilmington, Stoneham and Reading). — *Justice*, Edward F. Johnson. *Special Justices*, George S. Littlefield, John G. Maguire. *Clerk*, Arthur E. Gage, 1908.

**FIRST NORTHERN MIDDLESEX** (court held at Ayer; jurisdiction in Ayer, Groton, Pepperell, Townsend, Ashby, Shirley, Westford, Littleton and Boxborough). — *Justice*, Warren H. Atwood. *Special Justices*, Charles F. Worcester, John M. Maloney. *Clerk*, George W. Sanderson, 1909.

**FIRST SOUTHERN MIDDLESEX** (court held at Framingham; jurisdiction in Ashland, Framingham, Holliston, Sherborn, Sudbury and Wayland). — *Justice*, Willis A. Kingsbury. *Special Justices*, Walter Adams, George T. Higley. *Clerk*, Joseph H. Ladd, 1910.

**EAST NORFOLK** (court held at Quincy; jurisdiction in Randolph, Braintree, Cohasset, Weymouth, Quincy, Holbrook and Milton). — *Justice*, Albert E. Avery. *Special Justices*, E. Granville Pratt, Louis A. Cook. *Clerk*, John P. S. Churchill, 1910.

**NORTHERN NORFOLK** (court held at Dedham; jurisdiction in Dedham, Hyde Park, Dover, Norwood, Westwood, Medfield, Needham and Wellesley). — *Justice*, Emery Grover. *Special Justices*, Fred J. Hutchinson, Harrison A. Plympton. *Clerk*, Edward S. Fellows, 1908.

**SOUTHERN NORFOLK** (court held at Stoughton and Canton; jurisdiction in Stoughton, Canton, Avon and Sharon).—*Justice*, Oscar A. Marden. *Special Justices*, Bushrod Morse, Henry F. Buswell. *Clerk*, Michael F. Ward, 1907.

**WESTERN NORFOLK** (court held at Franklin and Walpole; jurisdiction in Bellingham, Foxborough, Franklin, Medway, Millis, Norfolk, Plainville, Walpole and Wrentham).—*Justice*, Orestes T. Doe. *Special Justices*, Henry E. Ruggles, Elbridge J. Whitaker. *Clerk*, Harry L. Howard, 1908.

**SECOND PLYMOUTH** (court held at Abington and Hingham; jurisdiction in Abington, Whitman, Rockland, Hingham, Hull, Hanover, Scituate, Norwell and Hanson).—*Justice*, George W. Kelley. *Special Justices*, Charles H. Edson, Edward B. Pratt. *Clerk*, Herbert L. Pratt, 1910.

**THIRD PLYMOUTH** (court held at Plymouth; jurisdiction in Plymouth, Kingston, Plympton, Pembroke, Duxbury and Marshfield).—*Justice*, William H. Osborne. *Special Justices*, Charles S. Davis, Henry B. Davis. *Clerk*, Benjamin A. Hathaway, 1909.

**FOURTH PLYMOUTH** (court held at Middleborough and Wareham; jurisdiction in Middleborough, Wareham, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester).—*Justice*, Nathan Washburn. *Special Justices*, Dennis D. Sullivan, Bert J. Allan. *Clerk*, William L. Chipman, 1909.

**WINCHENDON**.—*Justice*, Frank B. Spalter. *Special Justices*, George M. Whitney, Arthur F. Evans. *Clerk*, Elliot S. Tucker, 1911.

**CENTRAL WORCESTER** (court held at Worcester; jurisdiction in Worcester, Millbury, Sutton, Auburn, Leicester, Paxton, West Boylston, Holden, Shrewsbury and Rutland).—*Justice*, Samuel Utley. *Special Justices*, Hollis W. Cobb, Edward T. Esty. *Clerk*, Edward T. Raymond, 1911.

**FIRST EASTERN WORCESTER** (court held at Westborough and Grafton; jurisdiction in Southborough, Westborough, Grafton and Northborough).—*Justice*, William E. Fowler. *Special Justices*, John W. Slattery, John B. Scott. *Clerk*, Willard J. Humes, 1910.

**SECOND EASTERN WORCESTER** (court held at Clinton; jurisdiction in Clinton, Berlin, Bolton, Boylston, Harvard, Lancaster and Sterling).—*Justice*, Christopher C. Stone. *Special Justices*, Jonathan Smith, Edmond A. Evans. *Clerk*, Orra L. Stone, 1909.

**FIRST NORTHERN WORCESTER** (court held at Athol and Gardner; jurisdiction in Athol, Petersham, Phillipston, Royalston, Templeton, Gardner and Hubbardston).—*Justice*, Charles Field. *Special Justices*, James A. Stiles, Edgar V. Wilson. *Clerk*, Charles B. Boyce, 1909.

**FIRST SOUTHERN WORCESTER** (court held at Southbridge and Webster; jurisdiction in Sturbridge, Southbridge, Charlton, Dudley, Oxford and Webster). — *Justice*, Henry J. Clark. *Special Justices*, Victor W. Lamoureux, John M. Cochran. *Clerk*, Frederick H. Berger, 1908.

**SECOND SOUTHERN WORCESTER** (court held at Blackstone and Uxbridge; jurisdiction in Blackstone, Uxbridge, Douglas and Northbridge). — *Justice*, Arthur A. Putnam. *Special Justices*, Francis N. Thayer, William J. Taft. *Clerk*, Welford A. Beane, 1911.

**THIRD SOUTHERN WORCESTER** (court held at Milford; jurisdiction in Milford, Mendon, Upton and Hopedale). — *Justice*, Charles A. Dewey. *Special Justices*, Lowell E. Fales, Clifford A. Cook. *Clerk*, William G. Pond, 1910.

**WESTERN WORCESTER** (court held at East Brookfield; jurisdiction in Spencer, Brookfield, North Brookfield, West Brookfield and Warren). — *Justice*, Albert W. Curtis. *Special Justices*, Emory C. Sawyer, L. Emerson Barnes. *Clerk*, Arthur F. Butterworth, 1907.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEYS.**

[Elected by the several Districts for the term of three years, ending January, 1908.]

**NORTHERN DISTRICT.** — Middlesex County, George A. Sanderson, Ayer. *Assistant*, Arnold Scott, Newton.

**EASTERN DISTRICT.** — Essex County, W. Scott Peters, Haverhill. *Assistant*, Henry C. Attwill, Lynn.

**SOUTHERN DISTRICT.** — Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket Counties, James M. Swift, Fall River. *Assistant*, Frank B. Fox, Taunton.

**SOUTHEASTERN DISTRICT.** — Norfolk and Plymouth Counties, Thomas E. Grover, Canton. *Assistant*, Alfred F. Barker, Brockton.

**MIDDLE DISTRICT.** — Worcester County, George S. Taft, Uxbridge. *Assistant*, Walter Perley Hall, Fitchburg.

**WESTERN DISTRICT.** — Hampden and Berkshire Counties, John F. Noxon, Pittsfield.

**NORTHWESTERN DISTRICT.** — Hampshire and Franklin Counties, Richard W. Irwin, Northampton.

**SUFFOLK DISTRICT.** — John B. Moran, Boston. *First Assistant*, Felix W. McGettrick, Boston. *Second Assistant*, Michael J. Dwyer, Boston. *Third Assistant*, John P. Richardson, Boston.

## COUNTY OFFICERS.

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Sheriffs and County Treasurers are elected by the people of the several counties for terms of three years; Registers of Deeds for terms of five years. The current term of Sheriffs expires on the first Wednesday of January, 1908; that of County Treasurers in January, 1910; and that of Registers of Deeds in January, 1912.

Registers of Probate and Insolvency and Clerks of Courts are elected for terms of five years. The current term of the former expires on the first Wednesday in January, 1909; that of the latter in 1912.

County Commissioners are elected, one annually for each county, except Suffolk and Nantucket, severally for terms of three years; and, except in the counties of Suffolk and Nantucket, two Associate Commissioners are elected every third year, the current term of Associate Commissioners ending in January, 1908.

By the provisions of section 52 of chapter 165 of the Revised Laws, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council, is required to appoint in each county a certain number of Masters in Chancery, to act in any county, who shall hold office for the term of five years, unless sooner removed by the Governor and Council.

By the provisions of section 6 of chapter 161 of the Revised Laws, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council, is required to designate and commission a certain number of Justices of the Peace as Trial Justices in the several counties. By the provisions of section 7 of chapter 161 of the Revised Laws, each Trial Justice holds office for the term of three years from the time of his designation, unless, during that period, he ceases to hold a commission as Justice of the Peace, or unless such designation and commission as Trial Justice are revoked.

**BARNSTABLE COUNTY — Incorporated 1685.**

*Shire Town, BARNSTABLE.*

*Judge of Probate and Insolvency*—Freeman H. Lothrop, Barnstable.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency*—Clarendon A. Freeman, Chatham.

*Sheriff*—Ulysses A. Hull, Barnstable.

*Clerk of Courts*—Alfred Crocker, Barnstable.

*County Treasurer*—Edward L. Chase (Hyannis), Barnstable.

*Register of Deeds*—Andrew F. Sherman, Barnstable.

*County Commissioners*—

Lafayette K. Chase, Yarmouth, .	Term expires January, 1908
George I. Briggs, Bourne, . . .	" " " 1909
Thomas H. Soule, Barnstable, . .	" " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners*—

John E. Perry, Chatham, . . .	Term expires January, 1908
John G. Thompson, North Truro, .	" " " 1908

*Master in Chancery*—

C. Sumner Morrell, Wellfleet, . .	Term expires October, 1911
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**BERKSHIRE COUNTY — Incorporated 1761.**

*Shire Town, PITTSFIELD.*

*Judge of Probate and Insolvency*—Edward T. Slocum, Pittsfield.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency*—Arthur M. Robinson, North Adams.

*Assistant Register*—Alice M. Hoyt, Pittsfield.

*Sheriff*—John Nicholson, Pittsfield.

*Clerk of Courts*—Frank H. Cande, Pittsfield.

*County Treasurer*—Henry A. Brewster, Pittsfield.

*Registers of Deeds*—

Northern District, Arthur W. Safford, Adams.

Middle District, Henry M. Pitt, Pittsfield.

Southern District, Malcolm Douglas, Great Barrington.

*County Commissioners*—

Frank S. Richardson, North Adams, .	Term expires January, 1908
Arthur W. Plumb, Pittsfield, . . .	" " " 1909
Henry D. Sisson, New Marlborough, .	" " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners*—

Stephen A. Hickox, Williamstown, .	Term expires January, 1908
John H. C. Church, Great Barrington, .	" " " 1908

**BRISTOL COUNTY—Incorporated 1685.***Shire Towns, TAUNTON AND NEW BEDFORD.**Judge of Probate and Insolvency*—William E. Fuller, Taunton.*Register of Probate and Insolvency*—Arthur M. Alger, Taunton.*Assistant Register*—Florence A. Pratt, Taunton.*Sheriff*—Edwin H. Evans, Taunton.*Clerk of Courts*—Simeon Borden, Fall River.*Assistant Clerk*—Edwin L. Barney, Jr., New Bedford.*County Treasurer*—George F. Pratt, Taunton.*Registers of Deeds—*

Northern District, Enos D. Williams, Taunton.

Southern District, Albert B. Collins, New Bedford.

*Assistant Register* for Southern District, Marietta Hammond, New Bedford.

Fall River District, Charles E. Mills, Fall River.

*Assistant Register* for Fall River District, Mary L. Rankin, Fall River.*County Commissioners—*

George T. Durfee, Fall River, . . . Term expires January, 1908

William R. Black, Taunton, . . . " " " 1909

John I. Bryant, Fairhaven, . . . " " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners—*

John Thacher, Attleborough, . . . Term expires January, 1908

John M. Reed, Westport, . . . " " " 1908

*Master in Chancery—*

James M. Swift, Fall River, . . . Term expires April, 1911

**DUKES COUNTY—Incorporated 1695.***Shire Town, EDGARTOWN.**Judge of Probate and Insolvency*—Charles G. M. Dunham, Edgartown.*Register of Probate and Insolvency*—Beriah T. Hillman, Edgartown.*Sheriff*—Jason L. Dexter, Edgartown.*Clerk of Courts*—Samuel Keniston, Edgartown.*County Treasurer*—Jonathan H. Munroe, Edgartown.*Register of Deeds*—Littleton C. Wimpenney, Edgartown.*County Commissioners—*

William J. Look, Tisbury, . . . Term expires January, 1908

Russell Hancock, Chilmark, . . . " " " 1909

William D. Harding, Cottage City, . . . " " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners—*

Edwin D. Vanderhoop, Gay Head, . . . Term expires January, 1908

Holmes W. Smith, Edgartown, . . . " " " 1908

ESSEX COUNTY — Incorporated 1643.

*Shire Towns, SALEM, LAWRENCE AND NEWBURYPORT.*

*Judge of Probate and Insolvency* — Rollin E. Harmon, Lynn.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — Jeremiah T. Mahoney, Salem.

*Assistant Register* — Ezra D. Hines, Danvers.

*Sheriff* — Samuel A. Johnson, Salem.

*Clerk of Courts* — Edward B. George, Haverhill.

*First Assistant Clerk* — Ezra L. Woodbury, Salem.

*Second Assistant Clerk* — James P. Hale, Salem.

*County Treasurer* — David I. Robinson, Gloucester.

*Registers of Deeds* —

Northern District, Moses Marshall, Lawrence.

*Assistant Register* for Northern District, Jennie M. Marston, Lawrence.

Southern District, Willard J. Hale, Newburyport.

*Assistant Register* for Southern District, Robert W. Osgood, Salem.

*County Commissioners* —

Wallace Bates, Lynn, . . . Term expires January, 1908

Moody Kimball, Newburyport, . . . " " " 1909

James C. Poor, North Andover, . . . " " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners* —

Sherman Nelson, Georgetown, . . . Term expires January, 1908

Isaac O. Day, Boxford, . . . " " " 1908

*Masters in Chancery* —

Walter H. Southwick, Lynn, . . . Term expires January, 1907

William B. Murphy, Lynn, . . . " " February, 1907

E. Howard Perley, Salem, . . . " " July, 1907

Carleton H. Parsons, Gloucester, . . . " " December, 1907

William H. Trudel, Haverhill, . . . " " February, 1908

John H. Sheedy, Salem, . . . " " May, 1910

Benjamin O. Ames, Lawrence, . . . " " January, 1911

Nathaniel J. Holden, Salem, . . . " " April, 1911

Arthur G. Wadleigh, Lynn, . . . " " July, 1911

*Trial Justices* — William M. Rogers, Methuen; Colver J. Stone, Andover; Charles A. Sayward, Ipswich; Joseph T. Wilson, Nahant; William E. Ludden, Saugus; Newton P. Frye, North Andover; Moses S. Case, Marblehead; Benjamin G. Hall, Peabody.

## FRANKLIN COUNTY — Incorporated 1811.

*Shire Town, GREENFIELD.*

- Judge of Probate and Insolvency* — Francis M. Thompson, Greenfield.  
*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — Francis N. Thompson, Greenfield.  
*Assistant Register* — Ellen K. O'Keefe, Greenfield.  
*Sheriff* — Isaac Chenery, Montague.  
*Clerk of Courts* — Clifton L. Field, Greenfield.  
*County Treasurer* — Eugene A. Newcomb, Greenfield.  
*Register of Deeds* — John D. Bouker, Greenfield.  
*County Commissioners* —
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| Eugene B. Blake, Greenfield, . . . | Term expires January, 1908 |
| James D. Avery, Buckland, . . .    | " " " 1909                 |
| Osgood L. Leach, Northfield, . . . | " " " 1910                 |
- Associate Commissioners* —
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| Harry W. Fay, New Salem, . . . | Term expires January, 1908 |
| Arthur F. Slate, Orange, . . . | " " " 1908                 |
- Master in Chancery* —
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| Burt H. Winn, Greenfield, . . . | Term expires February, 1908 |
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## HAMPDEN COUNTY — Incorporated 1812.

*Shire Town, SPRINGFIELD.*

- Judge of Probate and Insolvency* — Charles L. Long, Springfield.  
*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — Samuel B. Spooner, Springfield.  
*Assistant Register* — Estella M. Lapham, Springfield.  
*Sheriff* — Embury P. Clark, Springfield.  
*Clerk of Courts* — Robert O. Morris, Springfield.  
*Assistant Clerk* — Charles M. Calhoun, Springfield.  
*County Treasurer* — Fred A. Bearse, Springfield.  
*Register of Deeds* — James R. Wells, Springfield.  
*Assistant Register* — Lydia M. Tanner, Springfield.  
*County Commissioners* —
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| James M. Sickman, Holyoke, . . .        | Term expires January, 1908 |
| Charles H. Nutting, Springfield, . . .  | " " " 1909                 |
| Charles C. Spellman, Springfield, . . . | " " " 1910                 |
- Associate Commissioners* —
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| Harrison Loomis, West Springfield, . . . | Term expires January, 1908 |
| William H. Porter, Agawam, . . .         | " " " 1908                 |
- Masters in Chancery* —
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| John J. Reddy, Chicopee, . . .        | Term expires March, 1910 |
| Henry W. Bosworth, Springfield, . . . | " " May, 1910            |
- Trial Justice* — George A. Birnie, Ludlow.



**HAMPSHIRE COUNTY — Incorporated 1662.**

*Shire Town, NORTHAMPTON.*

*Judge of Probate and Insolvency* — William G. Bassett, Northampton.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — Hubbard M. Abbott, Northampton.

*Assistant Register* — Alice C. Rice, Northampton.

*Sheriff* — Jairus E. Clark, Northampton.

*Clerk of Courts* — Haynes H. Chilson, Northampton.

*County Treasurer* — Edwin H. Banister, Northampton.

*Register of Deeds* — Robert W. Lyman, Northampton.

*County Commissioners —*

Eugene E. Davis, Northampton, . Term expires January, 1908

Frank K. Sibley, Ware, . . . " " " 1909

Charles K. Brewster, Worthington, . " " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners —*

Jairus F. Burt, Easthampton, . . Term expires January, 1908

Willard A. Taylor, Granby, . . " " " 1908

*Masters in Chancery —*

Ernest W. Hardy, Northampton, . Term expires February, 1909

Winslow H. Edwards, Easthampton, " " October, 1911

**MIDDLESEX COUNTY — Incorporated 1643.**

*Shire Towns, CAMBRIDGE (EAST) AND LOWELL.*

*Judges of Probate and Insolvency —*

Charles J. McIntire, Cambridge.

George F. Lawton, Cambridge.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — William E. Rogers, Wakefield.

*Assistant Register* — Frederick M. Esty, Framingham.

*Second Assistant Register* — Charles N. Harris, Winchester.

*Sheriff* — John R. Fairbairn, Cambridge.

*Clerk of Courts* — Theodore C. Hurd, Winchester.

*First Assistant Clerk* — John L. Ambrose, Somerville.

*Second Assistant Clerk* — William C. Dillingham, Malden.

*Third Assistant Clerk* — Ralph N. Smith, Arlington.

*Fourth Assistant Clerk* — Roger H. Hurd, Winchester.

*County Treasurer* — Joseph O. Hayden, Somerville.

*Registers of Deeds —*

Northern District, Joseph P. Thompson, Lowell.

Southern District, Edwin O. Childs, Newton.

*Assistant Register for Southern District*, Thomas Leighton, Jr., Cambridge.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY — *Concluded.**County Commissioners\* —*

Francis Bigelow, Natick, . . .	Term expires January, 1908
Levi S. Gould, Melrose, . . .	" " " 1909
Samuel O. Upham, Waltham, . . .	" " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners —*

Edward E. Thompson, Woburn, . .	Term expires January, 1908
David T. Strange, Stoneham, . .	" " " 1908

*Masters in Chancery —*

Gilbert A. A. Pevey, Cambridge, .	Term expires April, 1907
Charles H. Conant, Lowell, . . .	" " April, 1907
William V. Thompson, Cambridge, .	" " September, 1907
James Stuart Murphy, Lowell, . .	" " February, 1908
Lloyd Makepeace, Malden, . . .	" " June, 1908
Samuel W. Forrest, Melrose, . . .	" " September, 1908
George A. Perkins, Cambridge, . .	" " June, 1909
Elias B. Bishop, Newton, . . .	" " August, 1909
Charles M. Studley, Wakefield, . .	" " August, 1909
George S. Harvey, Malden, . . .	" " January, 1910
George M. Weed, Newton, . . .	" " June, 1910

*Trial Justices* — Henry C. Mulligan, Natick; Francis C. Pillion, Hopkinton; James T. Joslin, Hudson.

## NANTUCKET COUNTY — Incorporated 1695.

*Shire Town, NANTUCKET.*

*Judge of Probate and Insolvency* — Thaddeus C. Defriez.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — Henry Riddell.

*Sheriff* — Josiah F. Barrett.

*Clerk of Courts* — Josiah F. Murphey.

*County Treasurer* — William O. Gardner.

*Register of Deeds* — Lauriston Bunker.

*Trial Justice* — George E. Mooers.

**NOTE.** — The Selectmen of the town of Nantucket have the powers and perform the duties of County Commissioners. The Treasurer of the town is also County Treasurer.

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\* The jurisdiction of the County Commissioners of Middlesex extends over Revere and Winthrop, in the county of Suffolk.

NORFOLK COUNTY — Incorporated 1793.

*Shire Town, DEDHAM.*

*Judge of Probate and Insolvency* — James H. Flint, Weymouth.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — John D. Cobb, Dedham.

*Assistant Register* — J. R. McCoole, Dedham.

*Sheriff* — Samuel H. Capen, Dedham.

*Clerk of Courts* — Louis A. Cook, Weymouth.

*Assistant Clerk* — Robert B. Worthington, Dedham.

*County Treasurer* — Henry D. Humphrey, Dedham.

*Register of Deeds* — John H. Burdakin, Dedham.

*Assistant Register* — Edward L. Burdakin, Dedham.

*County Commissioners —*

Sumner H. Foster, Brookline, . . . Term expires January, 1908

John F. Merrill, Quincy, . . . " " " 1909

Evan F. Richardson, Millis, . . . " " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners —*

Lewis R. Whitaker, Franklin, . . . Term expires January, 1908

John Everett, Canton, . . . " " " 1908

*Masters in Chancery —*

Frank A. Tirrell, Quincy, . . . Term expires February, 1907

Henry B. Terry, Hyde Park, . . . " " July, 1907

Chester A. Reed, Dedham, . . . " " October, 1908

Edward W. Baker, Brookline, . . . " " March, 1910

George G. Darling, Dedham, . . . " " September, 1910

PLYMOUTH COUNTY — Incorporated 1685.

*Shire Town, PLYMOUTH.*

*Judge of Probate and Insolvency* — Loyed E. Chamberlain, Brockton.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — Sumner A. Chapman, Hanson.

*Sheriff* — Henry S. Porter, Plymouth.

*Clerk of Courts* — Edward E. Hobart, Plymouth.

*County Treasurer* — Albert Davis, Whitman.

*Register of Deeds* — John B. Washburn, Plymouth.

*County Commissioners —*

Walter H. Faunce, Kingston, . . . Term expires January, 1908

Jere B. Howard, Brockton, . . . " " " 1909

Lyman P. Thomas, Middleborough, . . . " " " 1910

*Associate Commissioners —*

Ezekiel R. Studley, Rockland, . . . Term expires January, 1908

Albert T. Sprague, Marshfield, . . . " " " 1908

PLYMOUTH COUNTY — *Concluded.**Masters in Chancery —*

Frank M. Reynolds, Hull, . . . Term expires November, 1909  
 William T. Way, Plympton, . . . " " April, 1911

## SUFFOLK COUNTY — Incorporated 1643.

*Judges of Probate and Insolvency —*

John W. McKim, Boston.

Robert Grant, Boston.

*Register of Probate and Insolvency* — Elijah George, Boston.

*Assistant Register* — Eugene Tappan, Sharon.

*Sheriff* — Fred H. Seavey, Winthrop.

*Clerk of Supreme Judicial Court* — John Noble, Boston.

*Assistant Clerk of Supreme Judicial Court* — Walter I. Frederick, Boston.

*Clerk of Superior Court (Civil Session)* — Francis A. Campbell, Boston.

*Clerk of Superior Court (Criminal Session)* — John P. Manning, Boston.

*County Treasurer* — Charles H. Slattery, Boston.\*

*County Auditor* — J. Alfred Mitchell, Boston.†

*Register of Deeds* — William T. A. Fitzgerald, Boston.

*Assistant Register* — Charles W. Kimball, Boston.

*Masters in Chancery —*

Andrew Fiske, Boston, . . .	Term expires May,	1907
David Benshimol, Boston, . . .	" " December,	1907
Henry S. Dewey, Boston, . . .	" " February,	1908
James F. Farley, Boston, . . .	" " February,	1908
Charles E. Grinnell, Boston, . . .	" " June,	1908
Butler R. Wilson, Boston, . . .	" " April,	1909
Hiram M. Burton, Boston, . . .	" " November,	1909
John H. Sherburne, Boston, . . .	" " December,	1909
Edward J. Jones, Boston, . . .	" " May,	1910
James Ballantyne, Boston, . . .	" " January,	1911
Joseph Michelman, Boston, . . .	" " April,	1911
Henry Hyde Smith, Hyde Park, . . .	" " May,	1911

NOTE.—In the city of Boston the Board of Aldermen have all the powers and duties of County Commissioners, except in relation to trials by jury and recovery of damages in such trials, in cases of laying out and discontinuing highways, and appeals from assessors for abatement of taxes.

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\* Treasurer of the city of Boston. † Auditor of the city of Boston.

**WORCESTER COUNTY — Incorporated 1781.**

***Shire Towns, WORCESTER AND FITCHBURG.***

***Judge of Probate and Insolvency*** — William T. Forbes, Westborough.

***Register of Probate and Insolvency*** — George H. Harlow, Worcester.

***Assistant Register*** — Frederick H. Chamberlain, Worcester.

***Sheriff*** — Robert H. Chamberlain, Worcester.

***Clerk of Courts*** — Theodore S. Johnson, Worcester.

***Assistant Clerk*** — Henry W. Aiken, Millbury.

***County Treasurer*** — Edward A. Brown, Worcester.

***Registers of Deeds* —**

Worcester District, Daniel Kent, Worcester.

***Assistant Register*** for Worcester District, Lottie E. Hubbard, Worcester.

Northern District, David H. Merriam, Fitchburg.

***County Commissioners* —**

George W. Cook, Barre, . . . Term expires January, 1908

Warren Goodale, Clinton, . . . " " " 1909

• George L. Clemence, Southbridge, . . . " " " 1910

***Associate Commissioners* —**

S. Augustus Howe, Gardner, . . . Term expires January, 1908

George F. Morse, Leominster, . . . " " " 1908

***Masters in Chancery* —**

Charles T. Tatman, Worcester, . . . Term expires April, 1908

Edward D. R. Morrell, Worcester, . . . " " May, 1908

Henry E. Cottle, Brookfield, . . . " " July, 1908

Charles R. Johnson, Worcester, . . . " " December, 1908

Aubrey Z. Goodfellow, Fitchburg, . . . " " January, 1910

Edward J. Melanefy, Worcester, . . . " " January, 1910

Charles S. Webster, Worcester, . . . " " June, 1911

***Trial Justices*** — Matthew Walker, Barre; Dennis Healy, Hardwick;  
Harry O. Bascom, Leominster; J. Ward Healey, Leominster.

## BOARD OF AGRICULTURE, 1907.

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[Established by Act of April 21, 1852. See also chapter 89, R. L.]

### *Members ex Officio.*

His Excellency Curtis Guild, Jr., *Governor.*  
 His Honor Eben S. Draper, *Lieutenant-Governor.*  
 Hon. William M. Olin, *Secretary of the Commonwealth.*  
 Kenyon L. Butterfield, M.A., *President Massachusetts Agricultural College.*  
 C. A. Goessmann, Ph.D., LL.D., *Chemist of the Board.*  
 J. Lewis Ellsworth, *Secretary of the Board.*  
 Austin Peters, M.R.C.V.S., *Chief of the Cattle Bureau.*  
 F. William Rane, B. Agr., M.S., *State Forester.*

### *Members appointed by the Governor and Council.*

William R. Sessions of Springfield, . . . .	Term expires	1908	
Francis H. Appleton of Peabody, . . . .	" "	1909	
Warren C. Jewett of Worcester, . . . .	" "	1910	

### *Members chosen by the Incorporated Societies.*

Amesbury and Salisbury, J. J. Mason of Amesbury, Barnstable County, John Bursley of West Barnstable, . . . . .	Term expires	1909	
Blackstone Valley, Samuel B. Taft of Uxbridge, .	" "	1909	
Deerfield Valley, E. P. Williams of Ashfield (P. O. Buckland), . . . . .	" "	1908	
Eastern Hampden, O. E. Bradway of Monson, .	" "	1909	
Essex, John M. Danforth of Lynnfield Centre, .	" "	1908	
Franklin County, Frank Gerrett of Greenfield, .	" "	1910	
Hampshire, Henry E. Paige of Amherst, . . .	" "	1910	
Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden, William A. Bailey of Northampton, . . . . .	" "	1909	
Highland, Henry S. Pease of Middlefield (P. O. Chester, R.F.D.), . . . . .	" "	1908	

Hillside, Ralph M. Porter of Cummington, . . .	Term expires 1908
Hingham, Edmund Hersey of Hingham, . . .	" " 1909
Hoosac Valley, A. M. Stevens of Williamstown, .	" " 1909
Housatonic, E. L. Boardman of Sheffield, . . .	" " 1909
Marshfield, H. A. Oakman of North Marshfield, .	" " 1909
Martha's Vineyard, J. F. Adams of West Tisbury,	" " 1910
Massachusetts Horticultural, William H. Spooner of Jamaica Plain, . . . . .	" " 1909
Massachusetts Society for Promoting Agriculture, N. I. Bowditch of Framingham, . . . . .	" " 1909
Middlesex South, Isaac Damon of Wayland (P. O. Cochituate), . . . . .	" " 1908
Nantucket, Herbert G. Worth of Nantucket, . .	" " 1909
Oxford, W. A. Lovett of Oxford, . . . . .	" " 1910
Plymouth County, Augustus Pratt of North Middleborough, . . . . .	" " 1908
Spencer, Noah Sagendorph of Spencer, . . . .	" " 1910
Union, George O. Millard of Blandford, . . .	" " 1910
Weymouth, Q. L. Reed of South Weymouth, . .	" " 1909
Worcester, Walter D. Ross of Worcester, . . .	" " 1908
Worcester East, W. A. Kilbourn of South Lan- caster, . . . . .	" " 1909
Worcester North-west, Albert Ellsworth of Athol,	" " 1910
Worcester South, O. D. Richardson of West Brookfield, . . . . .	" " 1910
Worcester County West, J. Harding Allen of Barre,	" " 1908
<i>President, His Excellency Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., Ex Officio.</i>	
<i>First Vice-President, William R. Sessions, Springfield.</i>	
<i>Second Vice-President, Augustus Pratt, North Middleborough.</i>	
<i>Secretary, J. Lewis Ellsworth, Worcester.</i>	

*Specialists.*

*Chemist, Dr. C. A. Goessmann, Amherst.*  
*Entomologist, Prof. C. H. Fernald, Amherst.*  
*Botanist, Dr George E. Stone, Amherst.*  
*Pomologist, Prof. F. A. Waugh, Amherst.*  
*Veterinarian, Prof. James B. Paige, Amherst.*  
*Engineer, William Wheeler, Concord.*  
*Ornithologist, E. H. Forbush, Wareham.*  
*State Nursery Inspector, Dr. H. T. Fernald, Amherst.*  
*Librarian and First Clerk, F. H. Fowler.*  
 Room 136, State House.

**STATE DAIRY BUREAU.**

[Established by Acts of 1891, chapter 412.]

*Chairman*, C. D. Richardson, West Brookfield, 1908; John M. Danforth, Lynnfield, 1907; Henry E. Paige, Amherst, 1909. *Executive Officer*, J. Lewis Ellsworth, Secretary State Board of Agriculture. *General Agent*, P. M. Harwood, Barre.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

[Established by Act of April 20, 1887.]

The Board consists of the Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, *ex officio*, and eight members, one to be appointed annually by the Governor and Council.

Ella Lyman Cabot, Boston,	.	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1907
Albert E. Winship, Somerville,	.	.	.	.	.	" " 1908
Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, Brookline,	.	.	.	.	.	" " 1909
Caroline Hazard, Wellesley,	.	.	.	.	.	" " 1910
Joel D. Miller, Leominster,	.	.	.	.	.	" " 1911
Kate Gannett Wells, Boston,	.	.	.	.	.	" " 1912
Clinton Q. Richmond, North Adams,	.	.	.	.	.	" " 1913
George I. Aldrich, Newton,	.	.	.	.	.	" " 1914

George H. Martin, *Secretary*.

Caleb B. Tillinghast, *Clerk and Treasurer*.

John T. Prince, James W. MacDonald, Julius E. Warren and  
Frederic L. Burnham, *Agents*.

Room 339, State House.

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOLS.**

The general management of the several State Normal Schools is vested by statute in the Board of Education, and all moneys appropriated for their maintenance are expended under its direction.

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT FRAMINGHAM.**

[Opened at Lexington, July, 1839; transferred to West Newton, September, 1844; removed to Framingham, 1853.]

*Principal* — Henry Whittemore.

[For women.]



**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT WESTFIELD.**

[Opened at Barre, September, 1839; suspended, 1841; reopened at Westfield, September, 1844.]

*Principal* — Clarence A. Brodeur.

[For both sexes.]

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT BRIDGEWATER.**

[Opened September, 1840.]

*Principal* — Albert G. Boyden.

[For both sexes.]

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT SALEM.**

[Opened September, 1854.]

*Principal* — J. Asbury Pitman.

[For both sexes.]

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT WORCESTER.**

[Opened September, 1874.]

*Principal* — E. Harlow Russell.

[For both sexes.]

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT FITCHBURG.**

[Opened September, 1895.]

*Principal* — John G. Thompson.

[For both sexes.]

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT NORTH ADAMS.**

[Opened February, 1897.]

*Principal* — Frank F. Murdock.

[For both sexes.]

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT BARNSTABLE (HYANNIS).**

[Opened September, 1897.]

*Principal* — William A. Baldwin.

[For both sexes.]

**STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT LOWELL.**

[Opened October, 1897.]

*Principal* — Frank F. Coburn.

[For both sexes.]

**STATE NORMAL ART SCHOOL AT BOSTON.**

[Opened October, 1878.]

*Principal* — George H. Bartlett.

[For both sexes.]

**BOARD OF CHARITY.**[Established by Act of April 30, 1879. See also Acts of 1886, chapter 101,  
and Acts of 1898, chapter 433.]

Abraham C. Ratshesky, Boston,	.	.	.	.	Term expires	1907
Charles F. Donnelly, Boston,	.	.	.	.	" "	1907
Leontine Lincoln, Fall River, <i>Chairman</i> ,	.	.	.	.	" "	1908
Charles H. Adams, Melrose,	.	.	.	.	" "	1908
Laban Pratt, Boston,	.	.	.	.	" "	1909
Frances Greely Curtis, Boston,	.	.	.	.	" "	1910
David F. Tilley, Boston,	.	.	.	.	" "	1910
Charles R. Johnson, Worcester,	.	.	.	.	" "	1911
Jeffrey R. Brackett, Boston,	.	.	.	.	" "	1911

John D. Wells, *Clerk of the Board*, Room 37, State House.Joshua F. Lewis, M.D., *Superintendent of State Adult Poor*, Room  
30, State House.William P. Derby, M.D., *Superintendent of State Minor Wards*,  
Room 43, State House.**BOARD OF INSANITY.**

[Established by chapter 433 of the Acts of 1898.]

James B. Ayer, Boston,	.	.	.	.	Term expires	1907
George F. Jelly, Boston, <i>Chairman</i> ,	.	.	.	.	" "	1908
Seward W. Jones, Newton,	.	.	.	.	" "	1909
Michael J. O'Meara, Worcester,	.	.	.	.	" "	1910
Henry P. Field, Northampton,	.	.	.	.	" "	1911

Owen Copp, M.D., *Secretary and Executive Officer*.  
Room 36, State House.

## BOARD OF HEALTH.

[Established by Act of March 24, 1886.]

Henry P. Walcott, M.D., Cambridge, <i>Chairman</i> , .	Term expires	1907
Julian A. Mead, Watertown, . . . . .	" "	1908
Hiram F. Mills, Lowell, . . . . .	" "	1909
John W. Bartol, Boston, . . . . .	" "	1910
Gerard C. Tobey, Wareham, . . . . .	" "	1911
James W. Hull, Pittsfield, . . . . .	" "	1912
Charles H. Porter, Quincy, . . . . .	" "	1913

Charles Harrington, M.D., *Secretary*, Room 141, State House.

X. H. Goodnough, *Engineer*, Room 140, State House.

## RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

[Established by Act of June 15, 1869.]

James F. Jackson, Brookline, <i>Chairman</i> , .	Term expires	July 1, 1909
George W. Bishop, Newtonville, . . . . .	" "	July 1, 1907
Clinton White, Melrose, . . . . .	" "	July 1, 1908

Charles E. Mann, Malden, *Clerk*.

Fred E. Jones, Brookline, *Accountant*.

George F. Swain, Boston, *Bridge Engineer*.

Allan Brooks, Ayer, *Assistant Clerk*.

## RAILROAD INSPECTORS.

John Q. Hennigan, East Milton, . . .	Term expires	October 1, 1907
Grafton Upton, Everett, . . . . .	" "	October 1, 1908
Daniel M. Wheeler, Worcester, . . . . .	" "	October 1, 1909
Lewellyn H. McLain, Melrose, . . . . .	" "	October 1, 1909

20 Beacon Street, Boston.

**BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.**

[Corrected to Jan. 10, 1907.]

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**ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.**

Joseph N. Peterson (*Chairman*), Salem; George Howland Cox (*Secretary*), Cambridge; James A. Frye, Boston.

**BALLOT LAW COMMISSION.**

Henry V. Cunningham (*Chairman*), Boston, 1907; Sewall C. Brackett, Boston, 1908; Francis W. Estey (*Secretary*), Boston, 1909.

**BANK COMMISSIONER.**

Pierre Jay, Boston, 1909. *Deputy*, Clarence A. Evans, Salem. *Secretary*, James O. Otis, Malden. *Examiners*, Andrew M. Dorr, Gilbert K. Rand, Harry C. Robinson, Albert L. Stratton, Frederick K. Payne. Room 124, State House.

**BAR EXAMINERS, STATE BOARD OF.**

Hollis R. Bailey (*Chairman*), Cambridge; Frederick L. Greene (*Secretary*), Greenfield; George S. Taft, Uxbridge; Henry W. Bragg, Boston; L. Elmer Wood, Fall River.

**BLIND, MASSACHUSETTS COMMISSION FOR THE.**

Robert L. Raymond (*Secretary*), Milton, 1907; J. H. A. Matte, North Adams, 1908; Annette P. Rogers, Boston, 1909; Helen Keller, Wrentham, 1910; Edward M. Hartwell (*Chairman*), Boston, 1911. Room 609, Ford Building, 15 Ashburton Place.

**BOSTON, LICENSING BOARD FOR THE CITY OF.**

Samuel H. Hudson, Boston, 1908; Fred A. Emery, Boston, 1910; Ezra H. Baker (*Chairman*), Boston, 1912. *Secretary*, Louis Epple, Boston. 29 Pemberton Square.

**BOSTON, PILOTS FOR THE PORT OF.**

John C. Ross, Plymouth, 1907; Justus A. Bailey, Kingston, 1907. 716 Chamber of Commerce.

**BOSTON POLICE COMMISSIONER.**

Stephen O'Meara, Boston, 1911. *Secretary*, George A. Rogers, Boston. 87 Pemberton Square.

**BOSTON TRANSIT COMMISSION.**

*On the part of the Commonwealth.*—George G. Crocker (*Chairman*), Boston, 1909; Horace G. Allen, Boston, 1909. *On the part of the city of Boston.*—Thomas J. Gargan, George F. Swain, Josiah Quincy, 1909. *Secretary*, B. Leighton Beal. 15 Beacon Street.

**CHARLES RIVER BASIN COMMISSION.**

Henry S. Pritchett (*Chairman*), Boston, 1909; Henry D. Yerxa, Cambridge, 1909; Joshua B. Holden, Boston, 1909. *Secretary*, William S. Youngman. 367 Boylston Street.

**CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.**

Frank Foxcroft, Cambridge, 1907; Charles Warren (*Chairman*), Dedham, 1908; Joseph C. Pelletier, Boston, 1909. *Chief Examiner*, Henry Sherwin. *Secretary*, Warren P. Dudley, Room 151, State House. *Registrar of Labor*, William L. Hicks, Room 16, State House.

**CONCILIATION AND ARBITRATION, STATE BOARD OF.**

Richard P. Barry, Lynn, 1907; Charles Dana Palmer, Lowell, 1908; Willard Howland (*Chairman*), Chelsea, 1909. *Secretary*, Bernard F. Supple. Room 128, State House.

**CORPORATIONS, COMMISSIONER OF.**

William D. T. Trefry, Marblehead, 1908. Room 235, State House.

**COUNTY ACCOUNTS, CONTROLLER OF.**

Charles R. Prescott, Malden, 1908. *Deputy Controllers*, James M. Cushman, Taunton; William H. Wing, Malden; Irving Taylor, Somerville. Room 101, State House.

**DENTISTRY, BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN.**

William W. Marvell, Fall River, 1907; George A. Maxfield, Holyoke, 1907; Thomas J. Barrett, Worcester, 1908; John F. Dowsley (*Chairman*), Boston, 1909; George E. Mitchell (*Secretary*), Haverhill, 1909.

**EMBALMING, BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN.**

Frederick L. Briggs (*Secretary*), Boston, 1907; Thomas H. Reilly (*Chairman*), Westborough, 1908; John A. Weinbeck, Lowell, 1909.

**FALL RIVER, BOARD OF POLICE FOR THE CITY OF.**

William Moran, Fall River, 1907; James Tansey, Fall River, 1908; James M. Morton, Jr., Fall River, 1909.

**FALL RIVER, THE BRADFORD DUFFEE TEXTILE SCHOOL OF.**

James E. Cunneen, Fall River, 1908; George W. Wright, Fall River, 1910.

**FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND, COMMISSIONERS OF THE.**

Fred W. Jenness, Lowell, 1907; Benjamin W. Wells, Boston, 1908; George F. Harwood, Lynn, 1909.

**FISHERIES AND GAME, COMMISSIONERS ON.**

Edward A. Brackett, Winchester, 1909; George W. Field (*Chairman*), Sharon, 1909; John W. Delano, Marlon, 1910. Room 158, State House.

**FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY COMMISSIONERS.**

Elizabeth P. Sohler, Beverly, 1907; Doloraine P. Corey, Malden, 1908; Samuel S. Green, Worcester, 1909; Mabel Simpkins Agassiz, Yarmouth, 1909; Caleb B. Tillinghast (*Chairman*), State Library, Boston, 1910.

**GAS AND ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMISSIONERS.**

Forrest E. Barker (*Chairman*), Worcester, 1907; Morris Schaff, Boston, 1908; Alonzo R. Weed, Newton, 1909. *Inspectors*, Charles D. Jenkins, Winchester, 1908; Lawrence S. James, Boston, 1908; Leslie R. Moore, Newton, 1908; William Gilchrist, Boston, 1909. *Clerk*, Robert G. Tobey, Boston. Room 144, State House.

**GREYLOCK RESERVATION COMMISSION.**

Francis W. Rockwell, Pittsfield, 1908; John Bascomb, Williamstown, 1910; William H. Sperry, North Adams, 1912.

**GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTHS, SUPERINTENDENT FOR SUP-  
PRESSING THE.**

Archie H. Kirkland, Reading, 1907. 6 Beacon Street, Boston.

**HARBOR AND LAND COMMISSIONERS.**

George E. Smith (*Chairman*), Swampscott, 1907; Henry J. Skeffington, Revere, 1908; Samuel M. Mansfield, Boston, 1909. *Clerk*, Frederick N. Wales, West Newton. Room 131, State House.

**HIGHWAY COMMISSION.**

William E. McClintock (*Chairman*), Chelsea, 1907; John H. Manning, Pittsfield, 1908; Harold Parker, Lancaster, 1909. *Secretary*, Austin B. Fletcher, Medford. Room 400, Ford Building, 15 Ashburton Place.

**INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION, COMMISSION ON.**

Paul Henry Hanus (*Chairman*), Cambridge, 1909; A. Lincoln Filene, Boston, 1909; Charles H. Winslow, Fitchburg, 1909; Carlton D. Richardson, West Brookfield, 1909; Mary Morton Kehew, Boston, 1909. *Secretary*, Charles H. Morse, Cambridge. Room 606, Ford Building, 15 Ashburton Place.

**INSURANCE COMMISSIONER.**

Frederick L. Cutting, Wellesley Hills, 1909. *Deputy*, Frank H. Hardison, Wellesley Hills. *Actuary*, Emma W. Cushman. *Examiner*, Charles W. Fletcher. *1st Clerk*, Arthur E. Linnell. *2d Clerk*, William O. Richardson. Room 246, State House.

**JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION MANAGERS.**

Thomas L. Livermore, Boston; Arthur Lord, Plymouth; Francis H. Appleton, Peabody; Wilson H. Fairbank, Warren; Edith Greenough Wendell, Boston.

**LABOR, BUREAU OF STATISTICS OF.**

*Chief*, Charles F. Pidgin, Boston, 1907. *1st Clerk*, Frank H. Drown. *2d Clerk*, William G. Grundy. Room 256, State House.

**LOWELL TEXTILE SCHOOL.**

Alphonso S. Covell, Boston, 1908; Franklin W. Hobbs, Brookline, 1910.

**LUMBER, SURVEYOR-GENERAL OF.**

Ralph L. Abbott, Boston, 1907. 88 Broad Street, Room 726.

**MEDICINE, BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN.**

Augustus L. Chase, Randolph, 1907; Edwin B. Harvey (*Secretary*), Westborough, 1908; Augustus C. Walker, Greenfield, 1909; C. Edwin Miles (*Chairman*), Boston, 1910; Nathaniel R. Perkins, Boston, 1911; Walter P. Bowers, Clinton, 1912; Samuel H. Calderwood, Boston, 1913. Room 150, State House.

**METROPOLITAN PARK COMMISSION.**

William B. de las Casas (*Chairman*), Malden, 1907; Edwin U. Curtis, Boston, 1908; David N. Skillings, Winchester, 1909; Edwin B. Haskell, Newton, 1910; Ellerton P. Whitney, Milton, 1911. *Secretary*, John Woodbury, Lynn. 14 Beacon Street.

**METROPOLITAN WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD.**

James A. Bailey, Jr., Arlington, 1907; Henry P. Walcott, Cambridge, 1908; Henry H. Sprague (*Chairman*), Boston, 1909. *Secretary*, William N. Davenport, Marlborough. 1 Ashburton Place.

**NAUTICAL TRAINING SCHOOL, COMMISSIONERS OF THE.**

John Read, Cambridge, 1907; Robert B. Dixon, Boston, 1908; George F. F. Wilde, North Easton, 1909. *Secretary*, F. Stanhope Hill, Cambridge. Room 110, State House.

**NEW BEDFORD TEXTILE SCHOOL.**

Joseph F. Knowles, New Bedford, 1908; Abbott P. Smith, New Bedford, 1910.

**PHARMACY, BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN.**

William F. Sawyer (*Secretary*), Boston, 1907; Fred A. Hubbard (*President*), Newton, 1908; Lucian A. Lamson, Hopedale, 1909; Charles N. Swift, Brockton, 1910; Ernst O. Engstrom, Pittsfield, 1911. Room 22, State House.

**PRISON COMMISSIONERS, BOARD OF.**

Frederick G. Pettigrove (*Chairman*), Boston, 1911; Arthur H. Wellman, Malden, 1907; Mary Boyle O'Reilly, Boston, 1908; Henry Parkman, Boston, 1909; Margaret P. Russell, Boston, 1910. *Secretary*, J. Warren Bailey, Somerville. Room 24, State House.

**PROVINCE LAWS.**

Melville M. Bigelow, Cambridge. Room 115, State House.



**PUBLICATION, STATE BOARD OF.**

James W. Kimball (*Chairman*), Lynn, 1907; William N. Davenport (*Secretary*), Marlborough, 1908; John Woodbury, Lynn, 1909.

**PUBLIC RECORDS, COMMISSIONER OF.**

Robert T. Swan, Brookline, 1907. Room 104, State House.

**STATE AID AND PENSIONS, COMMISSIONER OF.**

Charles W. Hastings, Weymouth, 1908. Room 123, State House. *Deputy*, Francis A. Bicknell, North Weymouth, 1908. Room 158, State House.

**STATE FORESTER.**

F. William Rane, Boston, 1907. *Assistant*, J. J. Dearborn. *Clerk*, Charlotte Jacobs. Room 7, State House.

**STATE HOUSE CONSTRUCTION COMMISSION.**

William Endicott, Jr., Boston; George W. Johnson, Brookfield.

**STATE LIBRARY, TRUSTEES OF THE.**

Stephen O'Meara, Boston, 1907; Edward Everett Hale, Boston, 1908; Winfield S. Slocum, Newton, 1909. *Librarian*, Caleb B. Tillinghast, Boston.

**SUFFOLK COUNTY COURT HOUSE.**

James R. Dunbar (*Chairman*), Brookline; William H. Wellington, Boston; Joseph J. Corbett, Boston.

**TAX COMMISSIONER.**

William D. T. Trefry, Marblehead, 1908. *Deputy*, Albert B. Fales, Somerville. *1st Clerk*, Edward D. Endicott, Canton. *2d Clerk*, Albert E. Taylor, Boston. Room 235, State House.

**UNIFORMITY OF LEGISLATION, COMMISSIONERS ON.**

George W. Weymouth, Fairhaven, 1908; James B. Ames (*Chairman*), Cambridge, 1908; George E. Gardner, Worcester, 1908; Frederick H. Nash, Cambridge, 1908; Samuel Ross, New Bedford, 1908.

**VETERINARY MEDICINE, BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN.**

George Penniman, Worcester, 1907; Elmer Warren Babson (*Secretary*), Gloucester, 1908; Langdon Frothingham (*Chairman*), Boston, 1909; Thomas E. Maloney, Fall River, 1910; Henry S. Lewis, Chelsea, 1911.

**VOTING MACHINE EXAMINERS.**

Horace B. Gale (*Secretary*), Natick, 1908; Page G. Poole, Everett, 1908; Charles F. Richardson (*Chairman*), Weston, 1908.

**WACHUSETT MOUNTAIN STATE RESERVATION COMMISSION.**

Theodore L. Harlow, Gardner, 1907; Harold Parker, Lancaster, 1909; John T. Burnett, Southborough, 1911.

**WRECKS AND SHIPWRECKED GOODS.**

James W. Bradley, Rockport; John S. Glover, Ipswich; William B. Floyd, Winthrop; A. Brooks Anderson, Scituate; Wendell L. Hinckley, Yarmouth; Horace E. Baker, Marshfield; Thomas H. G. Douglass, Gloucester; William McKay, Newburyport; E. Parker Welch, Scituate; Daniel W. Nickerson, Chatham; George W. McKay, Newburyport; James B. Steele, Eastham; William H. Sawyer, Gloucester; John Killen, Nantucket; Fernando F. Bearse, Chatham.

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**MASSACHUSETTS DISTRICT POLICE.**

**JOSEPH E. SHAW, CHIEF.**

**GEORGE C. NEAL, Deputy Chief, Detective Department.**

**JOSEPH A. MOORE, Deputy Chief, Inspection Department.**

**WILLIAM H. PROCTOR, Captain, Detective Department.**

**JOSEPH H. MCNEILL, Chief Inspector of Boilers.**

**CHARLES F. RICE, Chief Fire Inspector.**

**DETECTIVE AND FIRE INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.**

NAME.	Assigned.	Residence.
Bradford, Ernest S., . .	Barnstable County, . .	Hyannis.
Byrnes, Charles E., . .	Middlesex County, . .	Somerville.
Dexter, Thomas A., . .	Dukes and Nantucket Counties.	Edgartown.
Hodges, Alfred B., . .	Bristol County, . .	Taunton.
Keating, Arthur E., . .	Suffolk County, . .	Somerville.
McKay, James, . .	Franklin and Hamp- shire Counties.	Northampton.
Molt, Robert E., . .	Worcester County, . .	Millbury.
Murray, Peleg F., . .	Worcester County, . .	Worcester.
Rhoades, Frederick A., . .	Middlesex County, . .	Malden.
Scott, John H., . .	Norfolk and Plymouth Counties.	Braintree.
Wells, Arthur G., . .	Essex County, . .	Lynn.
Wood, Oliver L., . .	Berkshire and Hamp- den Counties.	Pittsfield.
Drake, William S., . .	Tramp Officer, . .	Boston.

**FIRE INSPECTORS.**

Anderson, James, . .	District No. 1, . .	Springfield.
Eustace, Thomas F., . .	District No. 2, . .	Lawrence.
Collamore, Henry H., . .	District No. 3, . .	Fall River.
Crittenden, George F., . .	District No. 4, . .	Northampton.
Smith, Silas P., . .	District No. 5, . .	Everett.
Grady, James J., . .	District No. 6, . .	Winthrop.

**INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.***Factories and Public Buildings.*

<b>NAME.</b>	<b>Assigned.</b>	<b>Residence.</b>
Berfat, Charles E.,	District No. 1,	Boston.
Bartwell, Henry J.,	District Nos 1, 2, 3, 4,	Boston.
Bell, Horace F.,	District Nos. 1, 2,	Worcester.
Brown, Edwin Y.,	District No. 4,	Wishwasp.
Dyson, Joseph M.,	District No. 5,	Worcester.
Adams, Charles,	District No. 5,	Worcester.
Tierney, John F.,	District No. 6,	Fall River.
Buxton, Warren S.,	District No. 7,	Springfield.
Cheney, Ansel J.,	District No. 8,	Beverly.
Spokane, Henry,	District No. 8,	Boston.
Atherton, Arlon S.,	District No. 1,	Wakefield.
Halstrick, Joseph,	District No. 2,	Boston.
Ryan, Samuel L.,	District No. 3,	Waltham.
Hillars, Malcolm,	District No. 4,	Danvers.
Dam, Charles A.,	District No. 5,	Worcester.
Ellis, Robert,	District No. 6,	Fall River.
Howes, James R.,	District No. 7,	Holyoke.
McKeever, William J.,	District No. 8,	Cambridge.
Shuchan, John J.,	District No. 9,	Salem.
Holt, James W.,	District No. 10,	North Adams.
Wasley, Frank C.,	District No. 11,	Lowell.
Clerke, Charles S.,	District No. 12,	Boston.
Merrill, Frederick W.,	Special duty,	Cambridge.
Griffin, John E.,	Special duty,	Sharon.
Plunkett, John H.,	Special duty,	Boston.
Nason, Mary A.,	Special duty,	Boston.
Halley, Mary E.,	Special duty,	Lawrence.

*Boiler Inspection Department.*

Dyer, Everett B.,	District No. 1,	Medford.
Gullivan, Herbert A.,	District No. 2,	Fall River.
Dyer, David H.,	District No. 2,	Fall River.
Evans, J. Walter,	District No. 3,	Worcester.
DeShazo, James B.,	District No. 3,	Worcester.
Sanborn, Freeman H.,	District No. 4,	Chicopee.
McCarthy, Justin H.,	District No. 4,	Boston.
Ferguson, Charles,	District No. 5,	Malden.
Kazar, John H.,	District No. 6,	Mattapan.
MacRae, John A.,	District No. 7,	North Adams.
McGrath, John,	District No. 8,	Boston.
Baxter, Sturgis C.,	District No. 9,	Boston.
Luck, George A.,	District No. 10,	Cambridge.
Hinekley, Frank C.,	Special duty,	Boston.

CLERKS.

Campbell, James P., *First.* | Macer, Frederick W., *Second.*

DETECTIVE AND FIRE INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

*Clerk.*

Brigham, Charles W.

*Stenographers.*

Adams, John I. | Stallings, Harriot E.

BOILER INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

Davis, Belle C., State House.	Carman, Sarah A., Fall River.
Powell, Jacob W., State House.	Power, Margaret C., North Adams.
Kane, Mary M., Worcester.	
Quinn, Ellen M., Springfield.	

STOREHOUSE.

Coughlan, John, <i>Keeper.</i>	McSweeney, Terrence, <i>Assistant</i> <i>Keeper.</i>
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## INSTITUTIONS UNDER THE GENERAL SUPERVISION OF THE STATE BOARD OF INSANITY.

### INSANE HOSPITALS.

The government of each is vested in a board of seven Trustees, five of whom shall be men and two of whom shall be women, one to be appointed annually by the Governor and Council, and the place of the senior member, as arranged in the following order, to be vacated each year: —

#### WORCESTER INSANE HOSPITAL.

George F. Blake, Worcester, 1907.	Sarah E. Whitin, Northbridge, 1911.
Lyman A. Ely, Worcester, 1908.	Frances M. Lincoln, Worcester, 1912.
T. Hovey Gage, Jr, Worcester, 1909.	Samuel B. Woodward, Worcester, 1913.
Thomas Russell, Boston, 1910.	
<i>Superintendent</i> — Hosea M. Quinby, M.D.	

[The Worcester Insane Asylum, Ernest V. Scribner, M.D., Superintendent, is also under charge of above Trustees.]

#### TAUNTON INSANE HOSPITAL.

Henry B. Stedman, Brookline, 1907.	Elizabeth C. M. Gifford, New Bedford, 1911.
William C. Lovering ( <i>Chairman</i> ), Taunton, 1908.	Susan E. Learoyd ( <i>Secretary</i> ), Wakefield, 1912.
Nathaniel B. Borden, Fall River, 1909.	Loyed E. Chamberlain, Brockton, 1913.
James P. Francis, New Bedford, 1910.	
<i>Superintendent</i> — Arthur V. Goss, M.D.	

#### NORTHAMPTON STATE HOSPITAL.

William D. MacInnis, Pittsfield, 1907.	Sarah T. Woodworth, Chicopee, 1911.
Henry L. Williams, Northampton, 1908.	Caroline A. Yale, Northampton, 1912.
Charles S. Shattuck, Hatfield, 1909.	Frederic W. Chapin, M D., Spring- field, 1913.
Alvan Barrus, Goshen, 1910.	
<i>Superintendent</i> — John A. Houston, M.D.	

**DANVERS INSANE HOSPITAL.**

Horace H. Atherton, Saugus, 1907.	Samuel W. Hopkinson, Haverhill ( <i>Chairman</i> ), 1910.
Mary Ward Nichols, Danvers, 1908.	Orville F. Rogers, M.D., Boston, 1911.
Solon Bancroft, Reading ( <i>Secre- tary</i> ), 1909.	Ada T. Brewster, Andover, 1912. George R. Jewett, Salem, 1913.

*Superintendent* — Charles W. Page, M.D.

**WESTBOROUGH INSANE HOSPITAL.**

Lewis R. Speare, Newton, 1907.	George B. Dewson, Cohasset, 1910.
Eliza C. Durfee, Fall River, 1908.	Sarah B. Williams, Taunton, 1911.
Benjamin W. Childs, Worcester, 1908.	William Avery Cary, Medford, 1911.
John L. Coffin, Northborough, 1909.	

*Superintendent* — George S. Adams, M.D.

**MEDFIELD INSANE ASYLUM.**

Elizabeth Thurber, Plymouth, 1907.	Sarah J. Rand, Newton Centre, 1911.
Ira G. Hersey, Hingham, 1908.	William H. Morrison, Brockton, 1912.
William O. Blaney, Boston, 1909.	Fred Bates Lund, Boston, 1913.
Arthur A. Maxwell, Worcester, 1910.	

*Superintendent* — Edward French, M.D.

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**MASSACHUSETTS HOSPITAL FOR EPILEPTICS.**

**AT PALMER.**

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*Superintendent* — Joseph B. Howland, M.D.

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*Superintendent* — Walter E. Fernald, M.D.

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**SCHOOL FOR THE FEEBLE-MINDED.**

[By chapter 508 of the Acts of 1906, seven Trustees appointed by the Governor.]

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**HOSPITAL COTTAGES FOR CHILDREN.****AT BALDWINVILLE.**

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**AT FOXBOROUGH.**

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MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL AND HOME FOR ORIPPLED  
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**CITIES AND TOWNS IN MASSACHUSETTS,  
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(Corrected to Jan. 1, 1907.)

[The spelling of the names of post-offices is that established by the  
Post-Office Department.]

TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Abington,</i>	{ Abington. North Abington.	<i>Ashfield,</i>	{ Ashfield. South Ashfield. Spruce Corner. Watson.
<i>Acton,</i>	{ Acton. North Acton. East Acton. South Acton. West Acton.	<i>Ashland,</i>	. Ashland.
<i>Acushnet,</i>	{ Acushnet. Long Plain.	<i>Athol,</i>	{ Athol. A (Athol Center). South Athol.
<i>Adams,</i>	. Adams.	<i>Attleborough,</i>	{ Attleboro. S. Attleboro. Hebronville. Dodgeville.
<i>Agawam,</i>	{ Agawam. Feeding Hills.	<i>Auburn,</i>	{ Auburn. West Auburn.
<i>Alford,</i>	. Alford.	<i>Avon,</i>	. Avon.
<i>Amesbury,</i>	{ Amesbury. Attitash.	<i>Ayer,</i>	. Ayer.
<i>Amherst,</i>	{ Amherst. North Amherst. South Amherst. Cushman.	<i>Barnstable,</i>	{ Barnstable. West Barnstable. Centerville. Marstons Mills. Hyannis. South Hyannis. Hyannis Port. Cotuit. Santuit. Osterville. Craigville. Wianno. Cummaquid.
<i>Andover,</i>	{ Andover. Ballard Vale.		
<i>Arlington,</i>	{ Arlington. Arlington Heights.		
<i>Ashburnham,</i>	{ Ashburnham. N. Ashburnham. S. Ashburnham.		
<i>Ashby,</i>	. Ashby.		

TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Barre</i> , .	{ Barre. South Barre. Barre Plains. White Valley. Bogue.		{ Hanover Street. Jamaica Plain. Mattapan. North Postal Sta- tion. Roslindale. Roxbury. Roxbury Crossing. South Boston. South Postal Sta- tion. Station A. Upham's Corner. West Roxbury.
<i>Becket</i> , .	{ Becket. West Becket. Becket Center.	<i>Boston—Con.</i> ,	
<i>Bedford</i> , .	Bedford.		
<i>Belchertown</i> ,	{ Belchertown. Dwight.		
<i>Bellingham</i> , .	{ Bellingham. North Bellingham. Caryville.		
<i>Belmont</i> , .	{ Belmont. Waverley.	<i>Bourne</i> , .	{ Bourne. Pocasset. Buzzards Bay. Bournedale. Monument Beach. Cataumet. Sagamore.
<i>Berkley</i> , .	Myricks.	<i>Boxborough</i> , .	West Acton P. O.
<i>Berlin</i> , .	{ Berlin. West Berlin. South Berlin.	<i>Boxford</i> , .	{ Boxford. East Boxford. West Boxford.
<i>Bernardston</i> , .	Bernardston.	<i>Boylston</i> , .	Boylston Center.
<i>Beverly</i> , .	{ Beverly. Beverly Farms. Prides Crossing.	<i>Braintree</i> , .	{ Braintree. South Braintree.
<i>Billerica</i> , .	{ Billerica. North Billerica. East Billerica.	<i>Brewster</i> , .	{ Brewster. North Brewster. East Brewster. South Brewster. West Brewster.
<i>Blackstone</i> , .	{ Blackstone. East Blackstone. Millville.	<i>Bridgewater</i> ,	{ Bridgewater. Scotland. State Farm.
<i>Blandford</i> , .	Blandford.	<i>Brimfield</i> , .	{ Brimfield. East Brimfield.
<i>Bolton</i> , .	Bolton.	<i>Brockton</i> , .	{ Brockton. Campello. Montello.
<i>Boston</i> , .	{ Back Bay. Boulevard. Brighton. Charlestown. Dorchester. Dorchester Center. East Boston. Essex Street. Fenway.	<i>Brookfield</i> , .	{ Brookfield. East Brookfield.
		<i>Brookline</i> , .	Brookline.



TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Buckland,</i>	. Buckland.		
<i>Burlington,</i>	. Burlington.*	<i>Chicopee,</i>	{ Chicopee. Chicopee Falls. Fairview. Willimansett.
<i>Cambridge,</i>	{ Cambridge. A (Cambridge- port). B (North Cam- bridge). C (East Cam- bridge).	<i>Chilmark,</i>	. Chilmark.
		<i>Clarksburg,</i>	{ Clarksburg (N. Adams P.O.). Briggsville.
<i>Canton,</i>	{ Canton. Ponkapog. Canton Junction. Canton Corner.	<i>Clinton,</i>	. Clinton.
<i>Carlisle,</i>	. Carlisle.	<i>Cohasset,</i>	{ Cohasset. Nantasket. Beechwood.
<i>Carver,</i>	{ Carver. North Carver. East Carver. South Carver.	<i>Colrain,</i>	{ Colerain. Lyonsville. Adamsville. Elmgrove. Griswoldville. Line. Shattuckville.
<i>Charlemont,</i>	{ Charlemont. East Charlemont. Zoar.	<i>Concord,</i>	{ Concord. Concord Junction.
<i>Charlton,</i>	{ Charlton. Charlton City. Charlton Depot. Dodge.	<i>Conway,</i>	. Conway.
<i>Chatham,</i>	{ Chatham. Chathamport. North Chatham. South Chatham. West Chatham.	<i>Cottage City,†</i>	Cottage City.
<i>Chelmsford,</i>	{ Chelmsford. North Chelmsford. South Chelmsford. West Chelmsford.	<i>Cummington,</i>	{ Cummington. W. Cummington. Swift River.
<i>Chelsea,</i>	. Chelsea.	<i>Dalton,</i>	. Dalton.
<i>Cheshire,</i>	. Cheshire.	<i>Dana,</i>	{ Dana. North Dana.
<i>Chester,</i>	{ Chester. North Chester. Littleville.	<i>Danvers,</i>	{ Danvers. Hathorne.
<i>Chesterfield,</i>	{ Chesterfield. West Chesterfield. Bisbees.	<i>Dartmouth,</i>	{ Dartmouth. North Dartmouth. South Dartmouth. Nonquitt.
		<i>Dedham,</i>	{ Dedham. East Dedham.
		<i>Deerfield,</i>	{ Deerfield. East Deerfield. South Deerfield.

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† Name of town changed to Oak Bluffs by act of the General Court, January 25, 1907.

TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Dennis</i> , .	{ Dennis. Dennis Port. East Dennis. South Dennis. West Dennis.	<i>Everett</i> , .	Everett.
<i>Dighton</i> , .	{ Dighton. North Dighton. Segreganset.	<i>Fairhaven</i> , .	Fairhaven.
<i>Douglas</i> , .	{ Douglass. East Douglass.	<i>Fall River</i> , .	Fall River.
<i>Dover</i> , .	Dover.	<i>Falmouth</i> , .	{ Falmouth. Falmouth Heights. Teaticket. Megansett. North Falmouth. East Falmouth. West Falmouth. Menauhant. Woods Hole. Quissett. Hatchville. Waquoit.
<i>Dracut</i> , .	{ Dracut. Collinsville.	<i>Fitchburg</i> , .	Fitchburg.
<i>Dudley</i> , .	{ Dudley. West Dudley.	<i>Florida</i> , .	{ Hoosac Tunnel. Drury.
<i>Dunstable</i> , .	Dunstable.	<i>Foxborough</i> , .	{ Foxboro. East Foxboro.
<i>Duxbury</i> , .	{ Duxbury. North Duxbury. South Duxbury. West Duxbury. Island Creek. Millbrook.	<i>Framingham</i> , .	{ Framingham. S. Framingham. Saxonville. Nobscot. Montwait.
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<i>Easthampton</i> , .	{ Easthampton. Mount Tom.	<i>Gardner</i> , .	{ Gardner. A (South Gardner).
<i>E. Longmeadow</i> , .	East Long Meadow.	<i>Gay Head</i> , .	Gayhead.
<i>Easton</i> , .	{ Easton. North Easton. South Easton. Easton Center.	<i>Georgetown</i> , .	Georgetown.
<i>Edgartown</i> , .	Edgartown.	<i>Gill</i> , .	Riverside.
<i>Egremont</i> , .	{ North Egremont. South Egremont.	<i>Gloucester</i> , .	{ Gloucester. Magnolia. Bay View. Lanesville. Annisquam.
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TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Grafton,</i>	. { Grafton. North Grafton. Saundersville. Farnumsville. Fisherville.	<i>Harwich,</i>	. { Harwich. Harwich Port. North Harwich. East Harwich. South Harwich. West Harwich. Pleasant Lake.
<i>Granby,</i>	. Granby.	<i>Hatfield,</i>	. { Hatfield. North Hatfield. Bradstreet. West Hatfield.
<i>Granville,</i>	. { Granville. Granville Center. West Granville.	<i>Haverhill,</i>	. { Haverhill. Bradford. Ayers Village. East Haverhill. Ward Hill.
<i>Great Barrington,</i>	. { Great Barrington. Housatonic. Van Deusen.	<i>Hawley,</i>	. { Hawley. West Hawley.
<i>Greenfield,</i>	. Greenfield.	<i>Heath,</i>	. { Heath. North Heath. Cyrus. Dell.
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<i>Halifax,</i>	. Halifax.	<i>Holland,</i>	. Holland.
<i>Hamilton,</i>	. { Hamilton. Asbury Grove.	<i>Holliston,</i>	. { Holliston. East Holliston. Braggville. Metcalf.
<i>Hampden,</i>	. Hampden.	<i>Holyoke,</i>	. Holyoke.
<i>Hancock,</i>	. Hancock.	<i>Hopedale,</i>	. { Hopedale. South Milford.
<i>Hanover,</i>	. { Hanover. North Hanover. South Hanover. West Hanover. Assinippi.		
<i>Hanson,</i>	. { Hanson. North Hanson. South Hanson.		
<i>Hardwick,</i>	. { Hardwick. Gilbertville. Furnace. Wheelwright.		
<i>Harvard,</i>	. { Harvard. Still River.		

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<i>Hopkinton,</i>	{ Hopkinton. Woodville. Hayden Row.	<i>Lexington,</i>	{ Lexington. East Lexington.
<i>Hubbardston,</i>	{ Hubbardston. E. Hubbardston. Williamsville.	<i>Leyden,</i>	{ Leyden. West Leyden.
<i>Hudson,</i>	. Hudson.	<i>Lincoln,</i>	{ Lincoln. South Lincoln.
<i>Hull,</i>	{ Hull. Allerton. Surfside.	<i>Littleton,</i>	{ Littleton. Littleton Common.
<i>Huntington,</i>	{ Huntington. Norwich.	<i>Longmeadow,</i>	Long Meadow.*
<i>Hyde Park,</i>	{ Hyde Park. Readville. East River.	<i>Lowell,</i>	. Lowell.
<i>Ipswich,</i>	. Ipswich.	<i>Ludlow,</i>	{ Ludlow. Ludlow Center.
<i>Kingston,</i>	{ Kingston. Silver Lake.	<i>Lunenburg,</i>	. Lunenburg.
<i>Lakeville,</i>	. Lakeville.	<i>Lynn,</i>	{ Lynn. West Lynn.
<i>Lancaster,</i>	{ Lancaster. South Lancaster.	<i>Lynnfield,</i>	{ Lynnfield. Lynnfield Center.
<i>Lanesboro',</i>	{ Lanesboro. Berkshire.	<i>Malden,</i>	. Malden.
<i>Lawrence,</i>	. Lawrence.	<i>Manchester,</i>	. Manchester.
<i>Lee,</i>	{ Lee. East Lee. South Lee.	<i>Mansfield,</i>	{ Mansfield. East Mansfield. West Mansfield.
<i>Leicester,</i>	{ Leicester. Cherry Valley. Rochdale.	<i>Marblehead,</i>	{ Marblehead. A (Nanepashemet). Clifton.
<i>Lenox,</i>	{ Lenox. Lenox Dale. New Lenox.	<i>Marion,</i>	. Marion.
<i>Leominster,</i>	{ Leominster. North Leominster.	<i>Marlborough,</i>	Marlboro.
<i>Leverett,</i>	{ Leverett. North Leverett. East Leverett. Moores Corner. Hillsboro.	<i>Marshfield,</i>	{ Marshfield. Center Marshfield. North Marshfield. Marshfield Hills. Standish. Brant Rock. Sea View. Green Harbor.
		<i>Mashpee,</i>	. Mashpee.
		<i>Mattapoissett,</i>	{ Mattapoissett. East Mattapoissett.
		<i>Maynard,</i>	. Maynard.

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<i>Medway,</i>	. { Medway. West Medway.	<i>Nahant,</i>	. Nahant.
<i>Melrose,</i>	. { Melrose. Melrose Highl'nds.	<i>Nantucket,</i>	. { Nantucket. Siasconset.
<i>Mendon,</i>	. Mendon.	<i>Natick,</i>	. { Natick. Cochituate. South Natick.
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<i>Methuen,</i>	. Methuen.	<i>New Ashford,</i>	. New Ashford.
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<i>Milton,</i>	. { Milton. East Milton.	<i>Newton,</i>	. { Newton. Newtonville. Auburndale. West Newton. Newton Center. Lower Falls. Newton U. Falls. Chestnut Hill. Newton Highlands. Waban.
<i>Monroe,</i>	. Monroe Bridge.		
<i>Monson,</i>	. Monson.		
<i>Montague,</i>	. { Montague. Montague City. Turners Falls. Millers Falls. Lake Pleasant.		
<i>Monterey,</i>	. Monterey.		

TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Norfolk,</i>	{ Norfolk. City Mills. Pondville.	<i>Orange, .</i>	{ Orange. North Orange. Tully.
<i>North Adams,</i>	North Adams.	<i>Orleans,</i>	{ Orleans. East Orleans. South Orleans.
<i>N. Andover, .</i>	North Andover.	<i>Otis, .</i>	{ Otis. East Otis. West Otis.
<i>N. Attleboro',</i>	{ North Attleboro. Attleboro Falls. Adamsdale. Oldtown.	<i>Oxford, .</i>	{ Oxford. North Oxford.
<i>N. Brookfield,</i>	North Brookfield.	<i>Palmer, .</i>	{ Palmer. Bondsville. Thorndike. Three Rivers.
<i>N. Reading, .</i>	North Reading.	<i>Paxton, .</i>	Paxton.
<i>Northampton,</i>	{ Northampton. Florence. Leeds. Laurel Park. Smiths Ferry.	<i>Peabody, .</i>	{ Peabody. West Peabody.
<i>Northboro', .</i>	{ Northboro. Chapinville.	<i>Pelham, .</i>	Pelham.
<i>Northbridge, .</i>	{ Northbridge. Northb'dge Center. Whitinsville.	<i>Pembroke, .</i>	{ Pembroke. North Pembroke. East Pembroke. Bryantville.
<i>Northfield, .</i>	{ Northfield. Northfield Farms. East Northfield. West Northfield. Mount Hermon.	<i>Pepperell, .</i>	{ Pepperell. East Pepperell. Paugus.
<i>Norton, .</i>	{ Norton. East Norton. Chartley. Meadowbrook. Barrowsville.	<i>Peru, .</i>	Peru.
<i>Norwell, .</i>	Norwell.	<i>Petersham, .</i>	{ Petersham. Nichewaug.
<i>Norwood, .</i>	{ Norwood. Ellis.	<i>Phillipston, .</i>	Phillipston.
<i>Oak Bluffs,* .</i>		<i>Pittsfield, .</i>	{ Pittsfield. Pontoosuc.
<i>Oakham, .</i>	{ Oakham. Coldbrook Springs.	<i>Plainfield, .</i>	Plainfield.
		<i>Plainville, .</i>	Plainville.

\* Name of town changed from Cottage City by act of the General Court, January 25, 1907.

TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Plymouth,</i>	{ Plymouth. Chiltonville. North Plymouth. Darby. Manomet. Raymond.	<i>Russell, .</i>	{ Russell. Woronoco.
<i>Plympton,</i>	. Plympton.	<i>Rutland,</i>	{ Rutland. North Rutland. West Rutland.
<i>Prescott,</i>	{ Prescott. North Prescott.	<i>Salem, .</i>	. Salem.
<i>Princeton,</i>	{ Princeton. East Princeton. Princeton Depot. Brooks Station.	<i>Salisbury,</i>	{ Salisbury. Cushing.
<i>Provincetown,</i>	Provincetown.	<i>Sandisfield,</i>	{ Sandisfield. New Boston. Montville. South Sandisfield.
<i>Quincy, .</i>	{ Quincy. Atlantic. Wollaston. Squantum.	<i>Sandwich,</i>	{ Sandwich. Forestdale. East Sandwich. South Sandwich. Spring Hill.
<i>Randolph,</i>	. Randolph.	<i>Saugus, .</i>	{ Saugus. Cliftondale.
<i>Raynham,</i>	{ Raynham. North Raynham.	<i>Savoy, .</i>	{ Savoy. Savoy Center. Brier.
<i>Reading,</i>	. Reading.	<i>Scituate,</i>	{ Scituate. Egypt. Scituate Center. North Scituate. Greenbush. Mount Blue. Sandhills. Minot.
<i>Rehoboth,</i>	. Rehoboth.	<i>Seekonk,</i>	. Seekonk.
<i>Revere, .</i>	{ Revere. Franklin Park.	<i>Sharon,</i>	. Sharon.
<i>Richmond,</i>	{ Richmond. Richmond Furnace.	<i>Sheffield,</i>	{ Sheffield. Ashley Falls.
<i>Rochester,</i>	. Rochester.	<i>Shelburne,</i>	{ Shelburne. Bardwells Ferry. Shelburne Falls.
<i>Rockland,</i>	. Rockland.	<i>Sherborn,</i>	{ Sherborn. South Sherborn.
<i>Rockport,</i>	{ Rockport. Pigeon Cove.		
<i>Rowe, .</i>	{ Rowe. Davis.		
<i>Rowley, .</i>	. Rowley.		
<i>Royalston,</i>	{ Royalston. South Royalston.		

TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Shirley,</i>	{ Shirley. Shirley Center.	<i>Sturbridge,</i>	{ Sturbridge. Fiskdale.
<i>Shrewsbury,</i>	. Shrewsbury.	<i>Sudbury,</i>	{ Sudbury. North Sudbury. South Sudbury.
<i>Shutesbury,</i>	. Shutesbury.	<i>Sunderland,</i>	Sunderland.
<i>Somerset,</i>	{ Somerset. Pottersville.	<i>Sutton,</i>	{ Sutton. West Sutton. Manchaug. Wilkinsonville.
<i>Somerville,</i>	{ Somerville. West Somerville.	<i>Swampscott,</i>	. Swampscott.
<i>S. Hadley,</i>	{ South Hadley. S. Hadley Falls.	<i>Swansea,</i>	{ Swansea. North Swansea. South Swansea. Touisset. Hortonville. Swansea Center.
<i>Southampton,</i>	. Southampton.	<i>Taunton,</i>	{ Taunton. East Taunton.
<i>Southboro',</i>	{ Southboro. Cordaville. Fayville. Southville.	<i>Templeton,</i>	{ Templeton. East Templeton. Baldwinsville. Otter River.
<i>Southbridge,</i>	{ Southbridge. Globe Village.	<i>Tewksbury,</i>	{ Tewksbury. Wamesit.
<i>Southwick,</i>	. Southwick.	<i>Tisbury,</i>	{ Vineyard Haven. West Chop.
<i>Spencer,</i>	. Spencer.	<i>Tolland,</i>	. Tolland.
<i>Springfield,</i>	{ Springfield. Highland. Indian Orchard. Brightwood.	<i>Topsfield,</i>	. Topsfield.
<i>Sterling,</i>	{ Sterling. Sterling Junction. West Sterling. Pratts Junction.	<i>Townsend,</i>	{ Townsend. Townsend Harbor.
<i>Stockbridge,</i>	{ Stockbridge. Glendale. Interlaken.	<i>Truro,</i>	{ Truro. North Truro. South Truro.
<i>Stoneham,</i>	. Stoneham.	<i>Tyngsboro',</i>	. Tyngsboro.
<i>Stoughton,</i>	{ Stoughton. North Stoughton. West Stoughton.	<i>Tyringham,</i>	. Tyringham.
<i>Stow,</i>	{ Stow. Gleasondale.	<i>Upton,</i>	{ Upton. West Upton.



TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Uxbridge,</i>	. { <i>Uxbridge.</i> <i>North Uxbridge.</i>	<i>West Bridge-</i>	. { <i>W. Bridgewater.</i> <i>Cochesett.</i> <i>Westdale.</i>
<i>Wakefield,</i>	. { <i>Wakefield.</i> <i>Greenwood.</i> <i>Montrose.</i>	<i>W. Brookfield,</i>	<i>West Brookfield.</i>
<i>Wales,</i>	. <i>Wales.</i>	<i>W. Newbury,</i>	<i>West Newbury.</i>
<i>Walpole,</i>	. { <i>Walpole.</i> <i>East Walpole.</i> <i>South Walpole.</i>	<i>West Spring-</i>	. { <i>West Springfield.</i> <i>Mittineague.</i> <i>Merrick.</i>
<i>Waltham,</i>	. <i>Waltham.</i>	<i>West Stock-</i>	. { <i>West Stockbridge.</i> <i>State Line.</i> <i>Rockdale Mills.</i>
<i>Ware,</i>	. <i>Ware.</i>	<i>West Tisbury,</i>	. { <i>West Tisbury.</i> <i>North Tisbury.</i>
<i>Wareham,</i>	. { <i>Wareham.</i> <i>East Wareham.</i> <i>South Wareham.</i> <i>West Wareham.</i> <i>Onset.</i>	<i>Westborough,</i>	<i>Westboro.</i>
<i>Warren,</i>	. { <i>Warren.</i> <i>West Warren.</i>	<i>Westfield,</i>	. { <i>Westfield.</i> <i>Mundale.</i>
<i>Warwick,</i>	. <i>Warwick.</i>	<i>Westford,</i>	. { <i>Westford.</i> <i>Coldspring.</i> <i>Forge Village.</i> <i>Graniteville.</i> <i>Nashoba.</i>
<i>Washington,</i>	. <i>Washington.</i>	<i>Westhampton,</i>	<i>Westhampton.</i>
<i>Watertown,</i>	. { <i>Watertown.</i> <i>Mount Auburn.</i>	<i>Westminster,</i>	. { <i>Westminster.</i> <i>Westmins'r Depot.</i>
<i>Wayland,</i>	. { <i>Wayland.</i> <i>Cochituate.</i>	<i>Weston,</i>	. { <i>Weston.</i> <i>Kendal Green.</i> <i>Stonybrook.</i>
<i>Webster,</i>	. <i>Webster.</i>	<i>Westport,</i>	. { <i>Westport.</i> <i>Westport Point.</i> <i>North Westport.</i> <i>South Westport.</i> <i>Central Village.</i> <i>Acoaxet.</i>
<i>Wellesley,</i>	. { <i>Wellesley.</i> <i>Wellesley Hills.</i> <i>Wellesley Farm.</i>	<i>Westwood,</i>	. { <i>Westwood.</i> <i>Islington.</i>
<i>Wellfleet,</i>	. { <i>Wellfleet.</i> <i>South Wellfleet.</i>	<i>Weymouth,</i>	. { <i>Weymouth.</i> <i>North Weymouth.</i> <i>East Weymouth.</i> <i>South Weymouth.</i>
<i>Wendell,</i>	. { <i>Wendell.</i> <i>Wendell Depot.</i> <i>Locks Village.</i>	<i>Whately,</i>	. { <i>Whately.</i> <i>East Whately.</i>
<i>Wenham,</i>	. { <i>Wenham.</i> <i>Wenham Depot.</i>		
<i>W. Boylston,</i>	. { <i>West Boylston.</i> <i>Oakdale.</i>		

TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.	TOWNS.	POST-OFFICES.
<i>Whitman,</i>	{ Whitman. East Whitman.	<i>Winthrop,</i>	. Winthrop.
<i>Wilbraham,</i>	{ Wilbraham. N. Wilbraham.	<i>Woburn,</i>	. Woburn.
<i>Williamsb'g,</i>	{ Williamsburg. Haydenville.	<i>Worcester,</i>	{ Worcester. A (51 Main Street). B (Webster Sq.). C (Quinsigamond). D (Greendale).
<i>Williamstown,</i>	{ Williamstown. Blackinton. Williamstown Sta.	<i>Worthington,</i>	{ Worthington. S. Worthington. W. Worthington. Ringville.
<i>Wilmington,</i>	{ Wilmington. N. Wilmington.	<i>Wrentham,</i>	{ Wrentham. West Wrentham. Sheldonville.
<i>Winchendon,</i>	{ Winchendon. Winchendon Springs. Waterville.	<i>Yarmouth,</i>	{ Yarmouth. South Yarmouth. West Yarmouth. Yarmouth Port.
<i>Winchester,</i>	. Winchester.		
<i>Windsor,</i>	{ Windsor. East Windsor.		

## **ABRIDGMENT OF UNITED STATES POSTAL REGULATIONS.**

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### **POSTAGE**

**TO ANY PART OF THE UNITED STATES, THE TERRITORIES, AND THE POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED STATES; ALSO TO CANADA, MEXICO, CUBA, THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA AND THE UNITED STATES POSTAL AGENCY AT SHANGHAI, CHINA.**

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*Two cents for each ounce, or fraction thereof, on letters, sealed packages, mail matter, wholly or partly in writing.*

*Two cents per ounce, or fraction thereof, on drop-letters where free delivery by carriers is established; where such free delivery is not established, the rate is one cent.*

*One cent for two ounces, or fraction thereof, on almanacs, books (printed), calendars, catalogues, engravings, pamphlets, photographs, posters, printed cards, proof sheets, corrected proof sheets and manuscript accompanying the same, circulars, seeds, bulbs, roots, scions and plants.*

*One cent for every four ounces on newspapers and magazines of the second class.*

*One cent for each ounce, or fraction thereof, on blank books, blank cards, card-boards, and other flexible material, envelopes, merchandise, sample cards, samples of ores.*

**FOR POSTAGE TO GREAT BRITAIN AND OTHER FOREIGN COUNTRIES, SEE "RATES OF FOREIGN POSTAGE."**

### **REGISTRATION OF MAIL MATTER.**

The Registry System is intended to give to registered mail the greatest security within the province of the Post-office Department, and this special security is obtained by a distinctive cover for the matter, its retention in special custody, and a system of records and receipts showing a complete chain of receipts from the time it leaves the hands of the sender until it is delivered to the addressee.

Any class of mail matter may be registered at any post-office in the United States.

The fee on registered matter, domestic or foreign, is eight cents for each letter or parcel, to be affixed in stamps, in addition to the postage. Full prepayment of postage and fee is required.

Every letter presented for registration must be fully and legibly addressed and securely sealed by the sender, and all letters and other articles must also have the name and address of the sender endorsed thereon in writing or print before they can be registered.

Registered mail matter can only be delivered to the addressees in person or on their written order. All persons calling for registered matter should be prepared to furnish reasonable proof of their identity, as it is impossible otherwise, at large post-offices, to guard against fraud.

Safety is considered before celerity in the transmission of registered mail, and as delays are sometimes necessary to secure proper receipts at points of transfer, due allowance should be made by those mailing such matter and those to whom it is addressed, as registered mails cannot be handled with the same despatch as ordinary mail matter.

A return receipt, signed by addressee and showing delivery, is returned to the sender of each domestic registered letter or parcel, for which there is no extra charge. The sender of any foreign registered article may obtain assurance of its receipt at the foreign office of delivery by endorsing it with the words, "Return receipt requested."

Letters and packages containing money or articles of value should be registered, and never deposited for transmission by ordinary mail.

The Post-office Department is liable to an amount not exceeding twenty-five dollars, or the actual value when that is less than ten dollars, for the loss in the mails of any piece of domestic first-class registered mail matter.

#### MONEY ORDERS.

The fees or charges on *domestic* orders are as follows:—

For sums not exceeding \$2 50, . . . . .	3 cents.
" " over \$2 50 and not exceeding \$5, . . . . .	5 cents.
" " " \$5 00 " " " \$10, . . . . .	8 cents.
" " " \$10 00 " " " \$20, . . . . .	10 cents.
" " " \$20 00 " " " \$30, . . . . .	12 cents.
" " " \$30 00 " " " \$40, . . . . .	15 cents.
" " " \$40 00 " " " \$50, . . . . .	18 cents.
" " " \$50 00 " " " \$60, . . . . .	20 cents.
" " " \$60 00 " " " \$75, . . . . .	25 cents.
" " " \$75 00 " " " \$100, . . . . .	30 cents.

A single money order may include any amount from one cent to one hundred dollars inclusive, but must not contain a fractional part of a cent.

The postmaster of any *foreign* money-order office in the United States — the same being designated by the Postmaster-General — will furnish a blank form of application, on which the sender must enter all the particulars of the amount (in United States money), names, address, etc., and must state the *full name* and *exact residence* of the person to whom the order is to be made payable. The postmaster will then issue an international order, to be sent by the remitter to the payee, in the case of "direct" orders.

Fees for *foreign* money orders when payable in Austria, Bahamas, Belgium, Bermuda, British Honduras, Bolivia, Chile, Costa Rica, Denmark, Egypt, Hungary, Japan, Liberia, Luxemburg, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Orange River Colony, Peru, Sweden, Switzerland, Transvaal and Trinidad:—

For sums not exceeding \$10,	.	.	.	.	.	.	8 cents.
" " over \$10 and not exceeding \$20,	.	.	.	.	.	.	10 cents.
" " " \$20 " " " \$30,	.	.	.	.	.	.	15 cents.
" " " \$30 " " " \$40,	.	.	.	.	.	.	20 cents.
" " " \$40 " " " \$50,	.	.	.	.	.	.	25 cents.
" " " \$50 " " " \$60,	.	.	.	.	.	.	30 cents.
" " " \$60 " " " \$70,	.	.	.	.	.	.	35 cents.
" " " \$70 " " " \$80,	.	.	.	.	.	.	40 cents.
" " " \$80 " " " \$90,	.	.	.	.	.	.	45 cents.
" " " \$90 " " " \$100,	.	.	.	.	.	.	50 cents.

When payable in any other foreign country:—

For sums not exceeding \$10,	.	.	.	.	.	.	10 cents.
" " over \$10 and not exceeding \$20,	.	.	.	.	.	.	20 cents.
" " " \$20 " " " \$30,	.	.	.	.	.	.	30 cents.
" " " \$30 " " " \$40,	.	.	.	.	.	.	40 cents.
" " " \$40 " " " \$50,	.	.	.	.	.	.	50 cents.
" " " \$50 " " " \$60,	.	.	.	.	.	.	60 cents.
" " " \$60 " " " \$70,	.	.	.	.	.	.	70 cents.
" " " \$70 " " " \$80,	.	.	.	.	.	.	80 cents.
" " " \$80 " " " \$90,	.	.	.	.	.	.	90 cents.
" " " \$90 " " " \$100,	.	.	.	.	.	.	1 dollar.

There is no limitation to the number of international orders that may be issued in one day to a remitter in favor of the same payee.

The maximum amount for which a single international money order may be drawn is: —

For orders payable in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, New South Wales, Tasmania, the Cape Colony, Jamaica and the Windward Islands, . . . . . \$50 00

Germany, . . . . .	\$97 00	Denmark, . . . . .	100 00
France and Algeria, . . . . .	98 75	Canada, . . . . .	100 00
Belgium, . . . . .	98 75	The Hawaiian Islands, . . . . .	100 00
Switzerland, . . . . .	100 00	Japan, . . . . .	100 00
Italy, . . . . .	100 00	Newfoundland, . . . . .	100 00
Portugal, . . . . .	100 00	New Zealand, . . . . .	100 00
The Netherlands, . . . . .	100 00	Queensland, . . . . .	100 00
Sweden, . . . . .	100 00	Victoria, . . . . .	100 00
Norway, . . . . .	100 00	Leeward Islands, . . . . .	100 00

#### SPECIAL DELIVERY.

Every article of mailable matter bearing a *special-delivery* stamp, in addition to the lawful postage, will be entitled to an immediate delivery by messenger at any post-office in the United States. *The price of the special-delivery stamps is ten cents each.* They are sold by postmasters in any required amount and to any person who may apply for them; but they can be used only for the purpose of securing the immediate delivery of mail matter addressed to and received in the mails at any post-office. Under no circumstances are they to be used in the payment of postages of any description, or of the registry fee; nor can any other stamps be employed to secure special delivery except the *special-delivery* stamps. The *special-delivery* stamp must be in addition to the lawful postage.

Registered letters will be entitled to immediate delivery, the same as ordinary letters, when bearing a *special-delivery* stamp in addition to the full postage and registry fee required by the law and the regulations.

*Special-delivery* letters will be delivered by messengers within the carrier limits of a free-delivery office between the hours of 7 A.M. and 11 P.M.; and within a radius of one mile from the post-office at all other offices between 7 A.M. and 9 P.M.

## RATES OF FOREIGN POSTAGE.

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### UNIVERSAL POSTAL UNION.

The rates for all foreign countries (except Canada, Mexico, Cuba and the Republic of Panama) are as follows:—

Prepayment optional, except for registered articles, but on printed matter and samples postage must be at least partially prepaid.

LETTERS, 5 cents per 15 grammes, a weight very slightly over one-half ounce. POST CARDS, 2 cents each.

PRINTED MATTER, 1 cent for each two ounces or fraction. Limit of weight, 4 lbs. 6 oz.; limit of length, except to Great Britain and Germany, 18 inches. To Great Britain and Germany, 24 inches, also 18 inches square.

COMMERCIAL PAPERS (Insurance Documents, Way Bills, Invoices, Papers of Legal Procedure, Manuscripts of Works, etc.), the same as for printed matter, but the lowest charge is 5 cents.

SAMPLES OF MERCHANDISE.—The rate is the same as for printed matter, but the lowest charge is 2 cents. Limit of weight, 8½ oz.; limit of length, 12 in.; breadth, 8 in.; depth, 4 in.; except to Great Britain, the British Colonies, France, Belgium, Ireland, Switzerland, Argentine Republic, Egypt, Hawaiian Islands, Austria, Hungary and Italy, to which countries the limit of weight is 12 oz.

To Canada, comprising *Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, British Columbia, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island*, the postage for letters, merchandise and printed matter is the same as in the United States. All matter for Canada must be fully prepaid, except letters, which must be prepaid at least two cents.

To Mexico the postage for letters and printed matter is the same as in the United States.

All mail matter may be registered to the above places upon prepayment of eight cents for each address, besides the postage.

UNMAILABLE ARTICLES.—All articles prohibited from domestic mails are also excluded from foreign mails.

**Postal cards and letters addressed "Around the World" are unmailable; as also are letters or packets containing gold or silver substances, pieces of money, jewelry or precious articles, except that gold or silver coin may be sent by mail to and from Canada.**

**Liquids, — ardent, vinous, spirituous or malt, — poisons, explosive and inflammable articles, and envelopes and postal cards upon which obscene language is written or printed.**

**No letter or circular concerning lotteries, so-called gift concerts, or other similar enterprises, offering prizes, or concerning schemes devised and intended to deceive and defraud the public, for the purpose of obtaining money under false pretences, shall be carried in the mail. Any person who shall knowingly deposit or send anything to be conveyed by mail in violation of this section shall be punishable by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars nor less than one hundred dollars, with costs of prosecution.**



VOTE FOR PRESIDENT IN 1904.  
(BY COUNTIES.)

NOTE.—The vote given is that for the candidate for ELECTOR AT LARGE on each ticket for whom the most ballots were cast. It is in accordance with the report of a committee of the Council on the returns of votes given in the several cities and towns. A summary at the end of the tables gives the aggregate vote for all the candidates for electors at large, in accordance with the said report.

COUNTY OF BARNSTABLE.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Corrigan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
Barnstable, . . . .	650	212	2	8	4	5	-
Bourne, . . . .	200	50	1	12	-	1	-
Brewster, . . . .	122	23	-	4	1	-	-
Chatham, . . . .	272	45	-	7	1	-	-
Dennis, . . . .	327	52	2	5	2	-	-
Eastham, . . . .	65	16	2	6	-	-	-
Falmouth, . . . .	491	95	1	4	1	1	-
Harwich, . . . .	274	82	-	9	2	5	-
Mashpee, . . . .	59	2	-	2	-	-	-
Orleans, . . . .	145	36	1	1	1	-	-
Provincetown, . . . .	393	109	1	6	2	3	-
Sandwich, . . . .	158	73	21	9	1	-	-
Truro, . . . .	83	11	2	1	-	-	-
Wellfleet, . . . .	160	33	2	2	1	-	-
Yarmouth, . . . .	239	61	-	1	-	-	-
Totals, . . . .	3,638	900	35	77	16	15	-

COUNTY OF BERKSHIRE.

Adams, . . . .	829	462	121	6	25	1	-
Alford, . . . .	19	34	-	-	-	-	-
Becket, . . . .	103	58	1	7	-	-	-
Cheshire, . . . .	131	109	-	1	-	-	-

COUNTY OF BERKSHIRE—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Corrigan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
Clarksburg, . . .	99	21	4	1	-	1	-
Dalton, . . . .	339	200	34	11	2	2	-
Egremont, . . .	106	51	-	2	-	-	-
Florida, . . . .	46	8	-	-	1	-	-
Great Barrington, . .	606	485	17	12	7	5	-
Hancock, . . . .	54	18	-	4	-	1	-
Hinsdale, . . . .	104	110	1	7	1	-	-
Lanesborough, . . .	106	37	-	-	1	-	-
Lee, . . . . .	388	312	-	9	3	2	-
Lenox, . . . . .	204	239	11	2	3	-	-
Monterey, . . . .	66	21	-	-	-	-	-
Mount Washington, . .	13	3	-	-	-	-	-
New Ashford, . . . .	22	8	-	1	-	-	-
New Marlborough, . . .	124	68	1	7	-	-	-
NORTH ADAMS, . . . .	1,736	1,094	99	29	24	44	-
Otis, . . . . .	75	21	-	1	1	-	-
Peru, . . . . .	29	25	-	1	-	-	-
PITTSFIELD, . . . .	2,728	1,706	66	19	44	10	-
Richmond, . . . .	64	29	-	3	-	1	-
Sandisfield, . . . .	73	39	1	-	-	-	-
Savoy, . . . . .	71	26	-	1	-	-	-
Sheffield, . . . .	188	118	2	3	-	1	-
Stockbridge, . . . .	223	130	1	4	4	2	-
Tyringham, . . . .	49	24	-	2	-	1	-
Washington, . . . .	40	17	-	-	-	-	-
West Stockbridge, . . .	121	85	-	1	1	-	-
Williamstown, . . . .	481	221	1	20	2	4	-
Windsor, . . . . .	73	21	1	2	-	-	-
Totals, . . . . .	9,310	5,800	361	156	119	75	-

## COUNTY OF BRISTOL.

Acushnet, . . . .	122	16	1	1	-	-	-
Attleborough, . . .	1,319	389	79	42	5	4	-
Berkley, . . . . .	120	7	-	1	-	-	-
Dartmouth, . . . .	286	41	5	9	1	-	-
Dighton, . . . . .	173	33	2	4	-	-	-
Easton, . . . . .	510	270	39	7	2	3	-
Fairhaven, . . . .	371	126	2	7	1	-	-
FALL RIVER, . . . .	5,691	5,382	223	80	75	48	-

COUNTY OF BRISTOL — *Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Corregan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
Freetown, . . . .	134	12	-	1	-	1	-
Mansfield, . . . .	463	144	6	80	-	2	-
NEW BEDFORD, . . . .	4,128	2,564	255	74	86	12	-
North Attleborough, . . . .	983	273	44	22	34	13	-
Norton, . . . .	237	41	1	3	-	-	-
Raynham, . . . .	182	20	-	5	-	-	-
Rehoboth, . . . .	174	13	-	3	2	-	-
Seekonk, . . . .	157	38	-	2	-	-	-
Somerset, . . . .	216	67	1	6	2	1	-
Swansea, . . . .	211	40	8	6	-	1	-
TAUNTON, . . . .	3,082	1,600	58	33	22	7	-
Westport, . . . .	183	27	-	8	-	-	-
Totals, . . . .	18,742	11,103	724	344	230	92	-

## COUNTY OF DUKES COUNTY.

Chilmark, . . . .	81	11	1	8	-	-	-
Cottage City,* . . . .	117	25	-	2	1	1	-
Edgartown, . . . .	188	33	1	-	1	-	-
Gay Head, . . . .	34	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gosnold, . . . .	13	2	-	1	-	-	-
Tisbury, . . . .	149	31	7	4	3	1	-
West Tisbury, . . . .	70	18	-	3	-	-	-
Totals, . . . .	602	120	9	13	5	2	-

## COUNTY OF ESSEX.

Amesbury, . . . .	1,065	469	85	12	4	-	-
Andover, . . . .	770	271	17	14	3	7	-
BEVERLY, . . . .	1,622	572	46	63	13	7	-
Boxford, . . . .	101	25	-	3	-	-	-
Danvers, . . . .	943	378	57	14	10	5	-
Essex, . . . .	237	88	5	3	2	2	-
Georgetown, . . . .	245	109	17	3	1	1	-
GLOUCESTER, . . . .	2,484	826	73	23	19	15	-

\* Name of town changed to Oak Bluffs by act of the General Court, January 25, 1907.

COUNTY OF ESSEX—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Corrigan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
Groveland, . . .	229	143	20	6	5	3	-
Hamilton, . . .	174	43	3	5	-	-	-
HAVERHILL, . . .	3,667	1,341	764	65	22	15	-
Ipswich, . . .	486	208	1	25	2	2	-
LAWRENCE, . . .	4,502	4,288	337	84	70	19	-
LYNN, . . .	7,367	3,905	399	259	121	72	-
Lynnfield, . . .	107	27	-	6	-	1	-
Manchester, . . .	285	134	4	11	3	1	-
Marblehead, . . .	966	602	45	10	13	8	-
Merrimac, . . .	287	89	13	10	-	-	-
Methuen, . . .	955	212	59	35	9	7	-
Middleton, . . .	110	25	-	-	1	-	-
Nahant, . . .	135	97	-	1	-	-	-
Newbury, . . .	215	35	12	1	1	1	-
NEWBURYPORT, . .	1,543	817	103	12	5	11	-
North Andover, . .	535	158	11	7	6	2	-
Peabody, . . .	1,193	837	35	23	24	5	-
Rockport, . . .	439	136	59	35	19	5	-
Rowley, . . .	204	64	4	1	-	1	-
SALEM, . . .	4,000	2,115	100	34	47	9	-
Salisbury, . . .	196	82	4	5	1	1	-
Saugus, . . .	771	182	61	38	5	2	-
Swampscott, . . .	704	168	18	24	2	9	-
Topsfield, . . .	164	41	1	6	1	3	-
Wenham, . . .	127	34	-	3	-	-	-
West Newbury, . .	192	41	13	19	-	1	-
Totals, . . .	36,980	18,562	2,366	860	409	215	-

## COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

Ashfield, . . .	141	26	-	2	-	-	-
Bernardston, . . .	110	35	2	1	-	1	-
Buckland, . . .	195	89	1	2	1	3	-
Charlemont, . . .	161	25	1	-	-	-	-
Colrain, . . .	188	27	1	4	-	-	-
Conway, . . .	144	42	1	4	-	-	-
Deerfield, . . .	244	75	1	6	-	2	-
Erving, . . .	120	36	17	-	-	1	-
Gill, . . .	104	24	2	-	-	1	-
Greenfield, . . .	1,002	461	51	20	1	7	-

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Corrigan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
Hawley, . . . . .	58	3	-	-	-	-	-
Heath, . . . . .	61	12	-	-	-	-	-
Leverett, . . . . .	56	9	1	1	-	-	-
Leyden, . . . . .	55	20	-	-	-	-	-
Monroe, . . . . .	30	10	-	-	-	-	-
Montague, . . . . .	572	348	85	10	7	10	-
New Salem, . . . . .	66	16	1	4	-	-	-
Northfield, . . . . .	205	66	1	6	1	3	-
Orange, . . . . .	862	176	48	12	-	-	-
Rowe, . . . . .	62	10	-	4	-	-	-
Shelburne, . . . . .	232	38	1	2	-	1	-
Shutesbury, . . . . .	40	8	-	-	-	-	-
Sunderland, . . . . .	113	21	-	4	-	-	-
Warwick, . . . . .	59	19	1	-	2	1	-
Wendell, . . . . .	49	27	-	1	1	-	-
Whately, . . . . .	105	49	2	1	-	-	-
Totals, . . . . .	5,034	1,672	217	84	13	30	-

## COUNTY OF HAMPDEN.

Agawam, . . . . .	258	163	10	2	1	3	-
Blandford, . . . . .	87	34	-	2	1	-	-
Brimfield, . . . . .	91	35	3	1	-	-	-
Chester, . . . . .	123	50	4	2	-	-	-
CHICOPEE, . . . . .	1,249	950	124	12	10	21	-
East Longmeadow, . . . . .	103	32	4	4	-	3	-
Granville, . . . . .	81	44	-	2	-	-	-
Hampden, . . . . .	96	49	1	2	1	-	-
Holland, . . . . .	23	3	-	-	-	-	-
HOLYOKE, . . . . .	2,902	2,540	211	42	100	52	-
Longmeadow, . . . . .	92	51	5	1	-	1	-
Ludlow, . . . . .	214	74	4	4	2	-	-
Monson, . . . . .	447	196	7	8	-	-	-
Montgomery, . . . . .	35	8	-	-	-	-	-
Palmer, . . . . .	591	349	29	13	5	-	-
Russell, . . . . .	84	32	-	-	-	-	1
Southwick, . . . . .	107	52	-	2	-	-	-
SPRINGFIELD, . . . . .	6,184	3,373	635	79	45	54	-
Tolland, . . . . .	26	10	-	-	-	-	-
Wales, . . . . .	85	34	2	-	2	-	-

COUNTY OF HAMPDEN — *Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Correagan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
West Springfield, . . .	704	365	34	5	4	2	-
Westfield, . . .	1,245	878	42	12	8	14	-
Wilbraham, . . .	135	47	-	2	1	-	-
Totals, . . .	14,962	9,369	1,115	195	180	150	1

COUNTY OF HAMPSHIRE.

Amherst, . . .	566	163	2	13	-	4	-
Belchertown, . . .	182	69	1	6	1	-	-
Chesterfield, . . .	115	16	-	1	-	-	-
Cummington, . . .	113	21	-	7	-	1	-
Easthampton, . . .	632	269	18	14	3	4	-
Enfield, . . .	155	17	2	2	-	-	-
Goshen, . . .	44	1	-	4	-	-	-
Granby, . . .	80	26	1	3	-	1	-
Greenwich, . . .	56	12	-	-	1	-	-
Hadley, . . .	230	42	3	2	-	1	-
Hatfield, . . .	154	96	1	3	-	-	-
Huntington, . . .	125	95	3	1	-	2	-
Middlefield, . . .	40	11	1	2	-	-	-
NORTHAMPTON, . . .	1,712	788	60	27	8	14	-
Pelham, . . .	41	11	-	3	-	1	-
Plainfield, . . .	76	6	1	2	-	-	-
Prescott, . . .	35	10	-	-	-	-	-
South Hadley, . . .	551	107	8	6	2	1	-
Southampton, . . .	90	22	1	7	1	-	-
Ware, . . .	522	358	140	9	13	3	-
Westhampton, . . .	59	7	-	8	-	-	-
Williamsburg, . . .	220	132	6	19	-	-	-
Worthington, . . .	94	13	-	1	-	-	-
Totals, . . .	5,892	2,292	248	140	29	32	-

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

Acton, . . .	282	76	-	5	-	-	-
Arlington, . . .	944	453	22	17	1	5	-

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX — *Continued.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Correagan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
Ashby, . . . . .	119	34	1	2	1	-	-
Ashland, . . . . .	182	75	2	2	-	5	-
Ayer, . . . . .	291	166	5	1	-	-	-
Bedford, . . . . .	123	46	1	1	2	2	-
Belmont, . . . . .	386	179	6	4	-	-	-
Billerica, . . . . .	384	134	5	2	3	-	-
Boxborough, . . . . .	29	21	1	-	-	-	-
Burlington, . . . . .	66	19	-	1	-	-	-
CAMBRIDGE, . . . . .	6,706	6,769	209	115	56	31	-
Carlisle, . . . . .	65	37	-	2	1	-	-
Chelmsford, . . . . .	472	183	14	8	4	1	-
Concord, . . . . .	554	291	3	6	-	2	-
Dracut, . . . . .	321	172	3	4	3	1	-
Dunstable, . . . . .	54	19	1	2	-	-	-
EVERETT, . . . . .	2,807	1,053	123	61	47	22	-
Framingham, . . . . .	1,259	720	19	22	6	13	-
Groton, . . . . .	246	106	12	3	-	-	-
Holliston, . . . . .	282	128	22	9	2	1	-
Hopkinton, . . . . .	324	240	10	5	1	1	-
Hudson, . . . . .	568	451	22	5	7	7	-
Lexington, . . . . .	514	180	2	6	1	2	-
Lincoln, . . . . .	93	52	1	3	-	-	-
Littleton, . . . . .	149	40	-	-	-	2	-
LOWELL, . . . . .	7,086	5,661	164	105	69	27	-
MALDEN, . . . . .	3,492	1,737	159	86	33	18	-
MARLBOROUGH, . . . . .	1,486	1,002	42	17	25	6	-
Maynard, . . . . .	405	257	10	3	4	1	-
MEDFORD, . . . . .	2,187	913	60	39	14	9	-
MELROSE, . . . . .	1,802	595	31	25	3	6	-
Natick, . . . . .	950	843	110	19	8	5	-
NEWTON, . . . . .	3,613	1,658	68	43	4	7	-
North Reading, . . . . .	128	23	-	2	-	-	-
Pepperell, . . . . .	317	190	8	4	-	-	-
Reading, . . . . .	786	221	10	14	6	7	-
Sherborn, . . . . .	126	42	4	5	-	-	-
Shirley, . . . . .	134	60	13	2	-	-	-
SOMERVILLE, . . . . .	6,330	2,884	215	137	32	23	2
Stoneham, . . . . .	853	388	13	44	18	2	-
Stow, . . . . .	115	33	-	-	-	-	-
Sudbury, . . . . .	156	47	3	2	1	1	-
Tewksbury, . . . . .	267	67	21	5	4	-	-
Townsend, . . . . .	235	54	1	14	1	1	-
Tyngsborough, . . . . .	84	20	-	-	-	1	-
Wakefield, . . . . .	1,260	612	47	18	4	9	-

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX — *Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Correagan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
WALTHAM, . . .	2,711	1,278	105	19	6	4	-
Watertown, . . .	958	760	37	11	3	3	-
Wayland, . . .	269	159	12	1	11	2	-
Westford, . . .	265	86	2	9	1	1	-
Weston, . . .	210	51	1	13	-	-	-
Wilmington, . . .	180	44	1	4	-	-	-
Winchester, . . .	885	324	23	11	12	1	-
WOBURN, . . .	1,189	1,236	21	13	30	9	-
Totals, . . .	55,704	32,889	1,665	951	424	233	2

## COUNTY OF NANTUCKET.

Nantucket, . . .	378	170	1	7	4	2	-
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## COUNTY OF NORFOLK.

Avon, . . .	187	145	48	-	1	5	-
Bellingham, . . .	140	63	3	2	-	-	-
Braintree, . . .	673	296	112	15	3	2	-
Brookline, . . .	2,321	1,068	26	17	6	3	2
Canton, . . .	385	352	5	2	-	-	-
Cohasset, . . .	326	115	2	4	1	-	-
Dedham, . . .	817	466	54	7	5	1	-
Dover, . . .	63	25	1	3	1	-	-
Foxborough, . . .	335	143	9	9	-	2	-
Franklin, . . .	515	230	15	15	4	1	-
Holbrook, . . .	335	130	66	7	2	1	-
Hyde Park, . . .	1,398	710	105	30	20	3	-
Medfield, . . .	217	70	-	1	-	1	-
Medway, . . .	322	155	1	9	4	2	-
Millis, . . .	132	42	2	3	-	-	-
Milton, . . .	743	346	27	11	2	4	-
Needham, . . .	452	167	21	7	2	3	-
Norfolk, . . .	98	49	1	2	-	1	-
Norwood, . . .	610	396	32	9	3	3	-
Plainville,* . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
QUINCY, . . .	2,453	1,340	206	53	22	8	-
Randolph, . . .	349	404	24	4	2	-	-

\* Plainville was incorporated from a part of Wrentham, April 4, 1905.



COUNTY OF NORFOLK—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Correagan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
Sharon, . . . .	222	81	5	3	1	1	-
Stoughton, . . . .	623	406	97	5	4	2	-
Walpole, . . . .	318	188	27	5	3	2	-
Wellesley, . . . .	416	168	13	2	3	1	-
Westwood, . . . .	98	30	9	1	-	1	-
Weymouth, . . . .	1,190	743	121	26	4	3	-
Wrentham,* . . . .	366	44	4	1	-	-	-
Totals, . . . .	16,104	8,372	1,036	253	93	50	2

## COUNTY OF PLYMOUTH.

Abington, . . . .	540	256	93	10	4	-	-
Bridgewater, . . . .	514	248	22	4	1	1	-
BROCKTON, . . . .	4,521	2,411	1,329	43	17	19	-
Carver, . . . .	86	27	9	2	1	1	-
Duxbury, . . . .	205	102	6	2	-	1	-
East Bridgewater, . . . .	370	143	55	9	1	3	-
Halifax, . . . .	66	12	-	-	-	-	-
Hanover, . . . .	254	48	28	4	3	2	-
Hanson, . . . .	134	35	21	2	-	1	-
Hingham, . . . .	541	284	8	15	2	2	-
Hull, . . . .	117	94	-	5	-	-	-
Kingston, . . . .	219	73	2	-	-	7	-
Lakeville, . . . .	92	20	2	2	1	-	-
Marion, . . . .	141	34	1	-	-	-	-
Marshfield, . . . .	207	43	-	1	-	-	-
Mattapoisett, . . . .	205	27	-	5	1	1	-
Middleborough, . . . .	746	281	10	30	3	7	-
Norwell, . . . .	151	46	1	1	-	-	-
Pembroke, . . . .	131	27	3	2	1	-	-
Plymouth, . . . .	1,086	470	73	9	10	2	-
Plympton, . . . .	70	25	3	1	-	-	-
Rochester, . . . .	123	26	-	3	-	-	-
Rockland, . . . .	733	342	193	3	2	48	-
Scituate, . . . .	222	106	-	7	1	3	-
Wareham, . . . .	289	171	13	9	2	1	-
West Bridgewater, . . . .	181	49	28	3	-	-	-
Whitman, . . . .	727	346	143	22	1	5	-
Totals, . . . .	12,671	5,746	2,043	194	51	104	-

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## COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Roosevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Corrigan, Socialist Labor.	Watson, Peoples Party.	All others.
BOSTON, . . . .	38,423	49,032	2,121	411	453	173	-
CHELSEA, . . . .	3,242	1,757	216	45	25	8	-
Revere, . . . .	1,129	667	42	17	24	5	-
Winthrop, . . . .	887	258	8	14	5	2	-
Totals, . . . .	43,681	51,714	2,387	487	507	188	-

## COUNTY OF WORCESTER.

Ashburnham, . . . .	205	70	-	3	-	-	-
Athol, . . . .	978	293	51	14	3	-	-
Auburn, . . . .	191	85	4	4	-	-	-
Barre, . . . .	237	49	1	3	-	-	-
Berlin, . . . .	127	17	1	5	1	-	-
Blackstone, . . . .	421	532	4	5	4	5	-
Bolton, . . . .	91	13	2	9	1	1	-
Boylston, . . . .	80	10	-	-	-	-	-
Brookfield, . . . .	239	136	1	1	-	-	-
Charlton, . . . .	251	70	5	4	1	-	-
Clinton, . . . .	1,213	822	170	13	6	4	-
Dana, . . . .	101	24	-	2	-	1	-
Douglas, . . . .	182	121	-	2	-	-	-
Dudley, . . . .	204	149	19	1	2	-	-
FITCHBURG, . . . .	2,603	1,480	379	32	33	5	-
Gardner, . . . .	1,307	474	15	25	17	2	-
Grafton, . . . .	407	135	28	11	3	1	-
Hardwick, . . . .	203	87	7	-	3	-	-
Harvard, . . . .	112	56	5	1	1	-	-
Holden, . . . .	241	65	2	4	1	-	-
Hopedale, . . . .	406	46	10	3	1	-	-
Hubbardston, . . . .	150	24	1	4	1	-	-
Lancaster, . . . .	226	40	4	2	-	-	-
Leicester, . . . .	334	233	4	6	2	3	-
Leominster, . . . .	1,637	536	102	14	12	2	-
Lunenburg, . . . .	145	21	7	1	1	-	-
Mendon, . . . .	109	29	8	4	2	-	-
Milford, . . . .	926	961	63	16	18	1	-
Millbury, . . . .	472	249	4	3	1	5	-
New Braintree, . . . .	52	21	-	1	-	-	-
North Brookfield, . . . .	293	130	1	3	3	2	-
Northborough, . . . .	214	52	16	4	1	-	-

COUNTY OF WORCESTER—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Reesevelt, Republican.	Parker, Democratic.	Debs, Socialist.	Swallow, Prohibition.	Carrigan, Socialist Labor.	Wheeler, Peoples Party.	All others.
Northbridge, . . . . .	668	302	7	20	3	-	-
Oakham, . . . . .	64	20	-	1	-	-	-
Oxford, . . . . .	317	107	12	3	2	-	-
Paxton, . . . . .	56	9	-	-	-	-	-
Petersham, . . . . .	107	43	-	-	-	-	-
Phillipston, . . . . .	74	9	2	1	-	-	-
Princeton, . . . . .	110	7	-	-	-	1	-
Royalston, . . . . .	117	20	1	4	-	-	-
Rutland, . . . . .	115	29	-	3	-	1	-
Shrewsbury, . . . . .	252	45	8	5	1	-	-
Southborough, . . . . .	132	98	2	5	-	1	-
Southbridge, . . . . .	782	635	26	4	9	2	-
Spencer, . . . . .	712	429	-	11	-	5	-
Sterling, . . . . .	169	27	1	2	-	-	-
Sturbridge, . . . . .	197	94	-	4	-	-	-
Sutton, . . . . .	212	122	2	9	3	3	-
Templeton, . . . . .	396	121	2	16	-	-	-
Upton, . . . . .	300	94	4	8	-	-	-
Uxbridge, . . . . .	378	220	2	12	4	1	-
Warren, . . . . .	356	196	23	5	4	-	-
Webster, . . . . .	756	424	62	2	5	6	-
West Boylston, . . . . .	141	29	-	8	-	1	-
West Brookfield, . . . . .	145	88	18	-	-	-	-
Westborough, . . . . .	429	227	5	9	5	2	-
Westminster, . . . . .	204	42	3	7	-	1	-
Winchendon, . . . . .	682	266	4	11	3	2	-
WORCESTER, . . . . .	11,820	6,296	286	174	122	48	-
Totals, . . . . .	24,124	17,067	1,397	521	279	106	-

Aggregate of Votes for Presidential Electors at Large in 1904.

COUNTIES.	Roosevelt, Republican.		Parker, Democratic.		Debs, Socialist.		Swallow, Prohibition.		Corregan, Socialist Labor.		Watson, Peoples Party.		All others.
	Edwin U. Curtis.	William W. Crapo.	Patrick A. Collins.	Henry W. Ely.	John Ellis.	Howard A. Gibbs.	Napoleon B. Johnson.	William H. Partridge.	Frederick A. Nagler.	Charles N. Wentworth.	F. Getty Brown.	George E. McNeill.	
Barnstable,	3,638	3,638	900	900	35	35	77	77	16	16	15	15	1
Berkshire,	9,310	9,310	5,800	5,799	361	361	156	156	119	119	75	75	1
Bristol,	18,742	18,743	11,103	11,103	724	724	344	344	230	230	92	92	1
Dukes,	602	602	120	120	9	9	13	13	5	5	2	2	1
Essex,	36,980	36,980	18,562	18,560	2,366	2,366	860	860	409	409	215	214	1
Franklin,	5,034	5,034	1,672	1,672	217	217	84	84	13	13	30	30	1
Hampden,	14,962	14,959	9,369	9,378	1,115	1,115	195	197	180	179	150	149	1
Hampshire,	5,892	5,892	2,292	2,292	248	242	140	140	29	35	32	32	1
Middlesex,	55,704	55,705	32,889	32,885	1,665	1,665	951	951	424	423	233	234	2
Nantucket,	378	379	170	169	1	1	7	7	4	5	2	2	2
Norfolk,	16,104	16,103	8,372	8,361	1,036	1,036	253	252	93	91	50	51	2
Plymouth,	12,671	12,671	5,746	5,741	2,043	2,043	194	194	51	52	104	104	1
Suffolk,	43,681	43,673	51,714	51,700	2,387	2,379	487	485	507	504	188	187	1
Worcester,	34,124	34,124	17,037	17,032	1,397	1,398	518	518	279	278	106	105	1
Totals,	257,822	257,813	165,746	165,712	13,604	13,591	4,279	4,273	2,359	2,359	1,294	1,292	5

**REPRESENTATIVES—SIXTIETH CONGRESS.**

(BY DISTRICTS.)

**ELECTION, NOVEMBER 6, 1906.**

**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 1.**

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Benjamin Clow of Dalton, Socialist.	Frank J. Lawler of Greenfield, Democratic.	George P. Law- rence of North Adams, Republi- can.	All others.
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CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 1— *Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Benjamin Clow of Dalton, Socialist.	Frank J. Lawler of Greenfield, Democratic.	George P. Lawrence of North Adams, Republican.	All others.
Hinsdale, . . . . .	8	71	90	-
HOLYOKE, . . . . .	262	2,599	2,595	-
Huntington, . . . . .	-	47	107	-
Lanesborough, . . . . .	1	80	86	-
Lee, . . . . .	6	267	311	-
Lenox, . . . . .	24	161	156	-
Leyden, . . . . .	-	15	42	-
Middlefield, . . . . .	1	8	26	-
Monroe, . . . . .	-	6	15	-
Monterey, . . . . .	1	9	49	-
Montgomery, . . . . .	-	4	17	-
Mount Washington, . . . . .	-	2	13	-
New Ashford, . . . . .	1	4	17	-
New Marlborough, . . . . .	1	38	68	-
NORTH ADAMS, . . . . .	86	770	1,805	-
Otis, . . . . .	-	11	53	-
Peru, . . . . .	2	17	23	-
PITTSFIELD, . . . . .	122	1,059	1,922	-
Plainfield, . . . . .	-	2	60	-
Richmond, . . . . .	-	16	44	-
Rowe, . . . . .	-	7	51	-
Russell, . . . . .	2	22	44	-
Sandisfield, . . . . .	1	35	46	-
Savoy, . . . . .	-	17	56	-
Sheffield, . . . . .	8	91	167	-
Shelburne, . . . . .	2	38	200	-
Southampton, . . . . .	1	11	79	-
Southwick, . . . . .	1	85	91	-
Stockbridge, . . . . .	6	98	186	-
Tolland, . . . . .	-	7	10	-
Tyringham, . . . . .	-	27	48	-
Washington, . . . . .	1	15	27	-
West Springfield, . . . . .	48	353	518	-
West Stockbridge, . . . . .	3	76	91	-
Westfield, . . . . .	93	767	1,197	-
Westhampton, . . . . .	-	7	45	-
Whately, . . . . .	1	49	50	-
Williamsburg, . . . . .	5	132	165	-
Williamstown, . . . . .	9	156	417	-
Windsor, . . . . .	2	14	47	-
Worthington, . . . . .	-	9	63	-
Totals, . . . . .	1,012	9,528	15,622	11

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 2.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Frederick H. Gillett of Springfield, Republican.	Edward A. Hall of Springfield, Democratic.	George H. Wrenn of Springfield, Socialist.	All others.
Amherst, . . . . .	511	128	2	1
Athol, . . . . .	708	287	40	1
Barre, . . . . .	225	45	3	1
Belchertown, . . . . .	140	55	9	1
Brimfield, . . . . .	68	18	3	1
Brookfield, . . . . .	180	104	4	1
CHICOPPEE, . . . . .	1,003	338	297	1
Dana, . . . . .	64	15	-	1
East Longmeadow, . . . . .	100	27	4	1
Easthampton, . . . . .	565	270	22	1
Enfield, . . . . .	117	12	2	1
Erving, . . . . .	83	50	9	1
Granby, . . . . .	74	16	2	1
Greenwich, . . . . .	47	7	2	1
Hadley, . . . . .	154	29	2	1
Hampden, . . . . .	58	17	2	1
Hardwick, . . . . .	171	93	7	1
Holland, . . . . .	17	3	-	1
Leverett, . . . . .	46	7	-	1
Longmeadow, . . . . .	86	37	1	1
Ludlow, . . . . .	192	88	6	1
Monson, . . . . .	337	174	9	1
Montague, . . . . .	415	378	66	1
New Braintree, . . . . .	45	17	-	1
New Salem, . . . . .	58	10	-	1
North Brookfield, . . . . .	230	126	4	1
NORTHAMPTON, . . . . .	1,385	826	103	1
Northfield, . . . . .	148	49	2	1
Oakham, . . . . .	48	9	-	1
Orange, . . . . .	717	183	53	1
Palmer, . . . . .	447	321	32	1
Pelham, . . . . .	32	1	-	1
Petersham, . . . . .	107	39	-	1
Phillipston, . . . . .	46	6	-	1
Prescott, . . . . .	30	10	-	1
Royalston, . . . . .	87	17	1	1
Shutesbury, . . . . .	32	3	-	1
South Hadley, . . . . .	478	115	23	1
SPRINGFIELD, . . . . .	5,476	3,207	758	1
Sunderland, . . . . .	98	14	1	1
Wales, . . . . .	70	24	2	1
Ware, . . . . .	440	380	106	1
Warren, . . . . .	263	183	33	1

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 2—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Frederick H. Gillett of Springfield, Republican.	Edward A. Hall of Springfield, Democratic.	George H. Wrenn of Springfield, Socialist.	All others.
Warwick, . . . . .	26	12	3	1
Wendell, . . . . .	38	12	1	1
West Brookfield, . . . . .	104	63	3	1
Wilbraham, . . . . .	112	37	1	1
Totals, . . . . .	15,873	8,412	1,622	1

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 3.\*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	William I. McLaughlin of Worcester, Democratic.	Charles G. Washburn of Worcester, Republican.	Louis F. Weiss of Worcester, Socialist.	All others.
Auburn, . . . . .	109	155	4	1
Charlton, . . . . .	61	163	3	1
Douglas, . . . . .	113	235	4	1
Dudley, . . . . .	206	179	22	1
Grafton, . . . . .	172	352	15	1
Holden, . . . . .	72	220	3	1
Leicester, . . . . .	282	282	5	1
Millbury, . . . . .	262	380	13	1
Northbridge, . . . . .	317	500	11	1
Oxford, . . . . .	118	213	12	1
Paxton, . . . . .	9	43	1	1
Rutland, . . . . .	41	104	1	1
Shrewsbury, . . . . .	45	247	4	1
Southbridge, . . . . .	842	638	24	1
Spencer, . . . . .	440	566	22	1
Sturbridge, . . . . .	105	148	1	1
Sutton, . . . . .	92	180	9	1
Uxbridge, . . . . .	209	315	4	1
Webster, . . . . .	574	687	67	1
West Boylston, . . . . .	31	105	1	1

\* For vote of district for remainder of term of Fifty-ninth Congress see page 380.



**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 3 — *Concluded.***

CITIES AND TOWNS.	William L. McLaughlin of Worcester, Democratic.	Charles O. Washburn of Worcester, Republican.	Louis F. Weiss of Worcester, Socialist.	All others.
Westborough, . . . . .	198	414	18	-
WORCESTER, . . . . .	8,110	9,565	416	-
Totals, . . . . .	10,415	15,986	666	-

**CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 4.**

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Timothy Richardson of Leominster, Socialist.	Charles Q. Tirrell of Natick, Republican.	All others.
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CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 4— *Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.							Timothy Richard- son of Leomin- ster, Socialist.	Charles Q. Tirrell of Natick, Re- publican.	All others.
Littleton, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	126	1
Lunenburg, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	106	1
MARLBOROUGH, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	498	1,674	1
Maynard, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	173	424	1
Natick, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	444	1,304	1
Northborough, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	32	224	1
Pepperell, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	76	303	1
Princeton, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	88	1
Shirley, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	25	137	1
Southborough, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	25	189	1
Sterling, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	156	1
Stow, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	106	1
Sudbury, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	147	1
Templeton, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	33	288	1
Townsend, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	183	1
WALTHAM, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	547	2,837	1
Wayland, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	94	290	1
Westford, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	26	226	1
Westminster, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	161	1
Weston, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	224	1
Winchendon, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	62	582	2
Totals, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	5,501	20,750	20

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 5.

CITIES AND TOWNS.							Butler Ames of Lowell, Republi- can.	Joseph J. Flynn of Lawrence, Dem- ocratic.	Fred P. Folsom of Lowell, Socialist.	All others.
Andover, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	611	377	24	1
Billerica, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	372	144	3	1
Burlington, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	78	16	1	1
Carlisle, . . . . .	.	.	.	.	.	.	59	33	1	1

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 5 — *Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Butler Ames of Lowell, Republi- can.	Joseph J. Flynn of Lawrence, Dem- ocratic.	Fred P. Folsom of Lowell, Socialist.	All others.
Chelmsford, . . . . .	477	201	3	-
Dracut, . . . . .	271	221	9	-
Dunstable, . . . . .	40	16	-	-
LAWRENCE, . . . . .	3,559	5,436	233	-
LOWELL, . . . . .	7,608	5,530	116	-
Lynnfield, . . . . .	99	17	4	-
Methuen, . . . . .	803	313	48	-
North Andover, . . . . .	443	286	9	-
North Reading, . . . . .	108	22	3	-
Reading, . . . . .	843	185	13	-
Tewksbury, . . . . .	181	38	3	-
Tyngsborough, . . . . .	75	19	-	-
Wilmington, . . . . .	151	27	2	-
Totals, . . . . .	15,778	12,881	470	-

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 6.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Augustus P. Gard- ner of Hamilton, Republican.	John F. Putnam of Danvers, So- cialist.	George A. Scho- field of Ipswich, Democratic.	All others.
Amesbury, . . . . .	588	56	806	-
BEVERLY, . . . . .	1,600	53	748	-
Boxford, . . . . .	81	2	29	-
Danvers, . . . . .	847	79	504	-
Essex, . . . . .	214	6	130	-
Georgetown, . . . . .	196	5	213	-
GLOUCESTER, . . . . .	2,795	37	1,136	-
Groveland, . . . . .	186	17	176	-
Hamilton, . . . . .	218	1	42	-
HAVERHILL, . . . . .	2,673	538	2,105	-
Ipswich, . . . . .	326	2	485	-
Manchester, . . . . .	259	1	197	-

• CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 6—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Augustus P. Gardner of Hamilton, Republican.	John F. Putnam of Danvers, Socialist.	George A. Schofield of Ipswich, Democratic.	All others.
Marblehead, . . . . .	899	53	900	1
Merrimac, . . . . .	184	16	151	1
Middleton, . . . . .	104	1	36	1
Newbury, . . . . .	140	3	81	1
NEWBURYPORT, . . . . .	1,088	43	1,386	1
Peabody, . . . . .	1,119	35	1,108	1
Rockport, . . . . .	520	29	175	1
Rowley, . . . . .	166	3	130	1
SALEM, . . . . .	3,232	90	2,880	1
Salisbury, . . . . .	146	6	153	1
Swampscott, . . . . .	521	16	299	1
Topsfield, . . . . .	124	1	53	1
Wenham, . . . . .	134	2	33	1
West Newbury, . . . . .	170	8	99	1
Totals, . . . . .	18,390	1,102	14,055	1

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 7.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Bernard W. Gidney of Lynn, Socialist.	John A. O'Keefe of Lynn, Democratic.	Ernest W. Roberts of Chelsea, Republican.	All others.
CHELSEA, . . . . .	193	1,374	2,963	1
EVERETT, . . . . .	143	753	2,654	1
LYNN, . . . . .	355	4,302	6,474	1
MALDEN, . . . . .	199	1,316	3,564	1
MELROSE, . . . . .	53	361	1,883	1
Nahant, . . . . .	2	78	129	1
Revere, . . . . .	93	500	1,367	1
Saugus, . . . . .	47	191	712	1
Stoneham, . . . . .	24	324	795	1
Wakefield, . . . . .	63	617	1,211	1
Totals, . . . . .	1,172	9,816	21,752	1

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 8.

CITIES AND TOWNS.						Frederick S. Del- trick of Cam- bridge, Demo- cratic.	Orton D. Field of Somerville, So- cialist.	Samuel W. Mc- Call of Winches- ter, Republican.	All others.
Arlington, .	.	.	.	.	.	407	18	927	-
Belmont, .	.	.	.	.	.	148	8	487	-
CAMBRIDGE, .	.	.	.	.	.	6,709	209	6,075	-
MEDFORD, .	.	.	.	.	.	784	53	2,094	-
SOMERVILLE, .	.	.	.	.	.	2,431	266	6,112	1
Winchester, .	.	.	.	.	.	157	9	913	-
WOBURN, .	.	.	.	.	.	1,054	34	1,894	-
Totals, .	.	.	.	.	.	11,690	597	17,952	1

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 9.

CITIES AND TOWNS.						George W. Galvin of Boston, Social- ist.	John A. Kellher of Boston, Dem- ocratic.	Edward C. Webb of Boston, Re- publican.	All others.
Boston: Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8,									
9, 12 (Prec. 6 and 7), .	.	.	.	.	.	1,210	15,693	5,368	1
Winthrop, .	.	.	.	.	.	32	304	888	-
Totals, .	.	.	.	.	.	1,242	15,997	6,256	1

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 10.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Edward B. Cal- lender of Boston, Republican.	Joseph F. O'Con- nell of Boston, Democratic.	Ira E. Worcester of Boston, Social- ist.	All others.
Boston: Wards 18, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24, . . . . .	11,708	17,211	699	1
Milton, . . . . .	688	813	27	1
QUINCY, . . . . .	2,280	1,455	222	1
Totals, . . . . .	14,621	18,979	948	2

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 11.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	George G. Cutting of Boston, So- cialist.	Daniel W. Lane of Boston, Republi- can.	Andrew J. Peters of Boston, Dem- ocratic.	All others.
Boston: Wards 10, 11, 12 (Prec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5), 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 25, .	785	14,670	18,099	1

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 12.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Calvin C. Jordan of Weymouth, Socialist.	David W. Murray of Hyde Park, Democratic.	John W. Weeks of Newton, Repub- lican.	All others.
Avon, . . . . .	44	156	175	1
Bellingham, . . . . .	5	42	92	1
Blackstone, . . . . .	17	518	267	1

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 12—Concluded.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Calvin C. Jordan of Weymouth, Socialist.	David W. Murray of Hyde Park, Democratic.	John W. Weeks of Newton, Repub- lican.	All others.
	38		721	
	37		2,497	
	10		350	
	62		709	
	1		59	
	10		261	
	27		433	
	59		290	
	16		240	
	8		413	
	14		247	
	112		1,106	1
	2		170	
	8		243	
	6		87	
	■		757	
	2		116	
	35		355	
	111		2,636	
	3		73	
	22		737	
	62		497	
	4		139	
	42		293	
	11		274	
	3		120	
	59		521	
	9		253	
	40		295	
	51		947	
	13		423	
	13		101	
	214		990	
	2		157	
Totals, . . . . .	1,289	10,591	18,943	1

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 13.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	William S. Greene of Fall River, Re- publican.	Francis M. Ken- nedy of New Bed- ford, Democratic.	All others.
Acushnet, . . . . .	125	12	-
Berkley, . . . . .	85	4	-
Chilmark, . . . . .	30	6	-
Cottage City,* . . . . .	100	15	-
Dartmouth, . . . . .	170	25	-
Dighton, . . . . .	188	20	-
Edgartown, . . . . .	128	12	-
Fairhaven, . . . . .	396	119	-
FALL RIVER, . . . . .	6,924	3,296	-
Freetown, . . . . .	120	13	-
Gay Head, . . . . .	27	-	-
Gosnold, . . . . .	13	-	-
Marion, . . . . .	130	26	-
Mattapoisett, . . . . .	183	19	-
Nantucket, . . . . .	416	99	-
NEW BEDFORD, . . . . .	4,359	2,768	3
Rehoboth, . . . . .	87	10	-
Rochester, . . . . .	69	12	-
Seekonk, . . . . .	85	21	-
Somerset, . . . . .	192	38	-
Swansea, . . . . .	176	32	-
Tisbury, . . . . .	131	25	-
Westport, . . . . .	139	24	-
West Tisbury, . . . . .	63	7	-
Totals, . . . . .	14,236	6,603	3

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 14.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Thomas F. Loo- rem of Taunton, Democratic.	William C. Lover- ing of Taunton, Republican.	Daniel A. White of Brockton, So- cialist.	All others.
Abington, . . . . .	175	421	179	-
Attleborough, . . . . .	367	1,303	71	-
Barnstable, . . . . .	132	532	16	-

\* Name of town changed to Oak Bluffs by act of the General Court, January 25, 1907.



CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 14—*Concluded.*

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Thomas F. Lo- ren of Taunton, Democrat.	William C. Lover- ing of Taunton, Republican.	Daniel A. White of Brockton, So- cialist.	All
		184	0	
		90		
		438	40	
		3,568	2,462	
		52	0	
		154		
		326	0	
		224	0	
		164	12	
		229	70	
		44		
		800	62	
		375	4	
		46		
		226	40	
		117	64	
		206	6	
		501	17	
		119	4	
		190	4	
		49	2	
		453	25	
		148	6	
		52		
		523	52	
		170	5	
		103	4	
		100	1	
		104	12	
		803	125	
		50	1	
		259	4	
		116	8	
		690	401	
		181	20	
		190	8	
		2,968	200	
		79		
		218	27	
		114		
		154	89	
		564	309	
		111	1	
Totals, . . . . .	6,816	18,002	4,801	-

**REPRESENTATIVE — FIFTY-NINTH CONGRESS.****CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT No. 3.**

(Special election, held Dec. 18, 1906, to fill vacancy for unexpired term,  
caused by the death of Rockwood Hoar.)

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Charles G. Wash- burn of Worces- ter, Republican.	All others.
Auburn, . . . . .	16	-
Charlton, . . . . .	24	1
Douglas, . . . . .	105	5
Dudley, . . . . .	22	4
Grafton, . . . . .	48	16
Holden, . . . . .	28	1
Leicester, . . . . .	48	7
Millbury, . . . . .	58	2
Northbridge, . . . . .	123	-
Oxford, . . . . .	46	3
Paxton, . . . . .	10	-
Rutland, . . . . .	19	-
Shrewsbury, . . . . .	23	-
Southbridge, . . . . .	88	23
Spencer, . . . . .	23	3
Sturbridge, . . . . .	16	-
Sutton, . . . . .	32	-
Uxbridge, . . . . .	30	12
Webster, . . . . .	557	3
West Boylston, . . . . .	12	2
Westborough, . . . . .	38	23
WORCESTER, . . . . .	2,707	347
Totals, . . . . .	4,073	452



COUNTY OF BERKSHIRE.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Gamaliel Bradford of Wellesley, State Government Re- form.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Adams, . . . . .	23	121	43	715	63	47	322	7	—
Alford, . . . . .	1	6	—	14	5	—	—	23	—
Becket, . . . . .	—	2	2	75	6	1	26	1	—
Cheshire, . . . . .	4	—	2	100	9	—	74	—	—
Clarksburg, . . . . .	1	40	2	76	3	—	19	—	—
Dalton, . . . . .	8	—	3	267	—	—	—	209	—
Egremont, . . . . .	3	—	—	84	—	—	—	35	—
Florida, . . . . .	2	—	—	41	—	—	—	5	—
Great Barrington, . . . . .	23	21	7	585	34	22	354	2	—
Hancock, . . . . .	—	—	—	46	4	—	17	—	—
Hinsdale, . . . . .	1	3	—	93	5	1	65	—	—
Lanesborough, . . . . .	3	—	—	81	3	—	29	1	—
Lee, . . . . .	4	4	6	311	25	8	214	7	—
Lenox, . . . . .	8	6	10	166	11	9	140	—	—
Monterey, . . . . .	—	—	—	52	—	—	8	—	—
Mount Washington, . . . . .	—	—	—	12	—	—	3	—	—
New Ashford, . . . . .	—	—	—	13	1	—	5	—	—
New Marlborough, . . . . .	2	—	—	70	3	2	30	—	—
NORTH ADAMS, . . . . .	41	70	54	1,491	132	94	808	14	—
Otis, . . . . .	—	1	—	51	—	1	10	2	—
Peru, . . . . .	—	—	—	24	4	—	17	1	—
PITTSFIELD, . . . . .	79	80	51	1,990	283	108	1,011	—	—

Richmond, . . . . .	1	-	-	42	2	-	16	-	-
Sandisfield, . . . . .	3	1	-	48	3	-	26	-	-
Savoy, . . . . .	1	-	-	52	17	-	-	-	-
Sheffield, . . . . .	4	5	-	173	4	2	82	-	1
Stockbridge, . . . . .	6	3	3	179	-	-	-	97	-
Tyringham, . . . . .	-	-	-	51	-	-	23	-	-
Washington, . . . . .	-	1	2	26	-	-	-	14	-
West Stockbridge, . . . . .	4	6	-	89	3	-	67	-	-
Williamstown, . . . . .	16	12	6	385	32	15	128	3	-
Windsor, . . . . .	2	1	-	49	2	1	9	-	-
Totals, . . . . .	240	383	189	7,431	645	306	3,503	421	1

COUNTY OF BRISTOL.

Acushnet, . . . . .	2	1	1	119	6	4	7	1	-
Attleborough, . . . . .	17	26	18	1,250	126	148	308	24	-
Berkley, . . . . .	2	1	1	77	-	-	-	14	-
Dartmouth, . . . . .	5	2	1	147	22	16	20	4	-
Dighton, . . . . .	1	-	2	124	-	-	-	37	-
Easton, . . . . .	7	5	4	370	-	-	-	365	-
Fairhaven, . . . . .	13	6	6	365	41	19	115	5	-
FALL RIVER, . . . . .	100	107	89	5,040	809	1,059	3,554	141	1
Freetown, . . . . .	1	-	-	127	5	1	10	-	-
Mansfield, . . . . .	7	4	3	431	-	-	-	252	-
NEW BEDFORD, . . . . .	81	144	109	3,535	726	818	2,143	119	-
North Attleborough, . . . . .	15	3	5	672	92	172	249	25	-
Norton, . . . . .	-	1	-	157	12	14	25	4	-
Raynham, . . . . .	1	1	-	108	-	-	-	33	-
Rehoboth, . . . . .	3	2	-	80	5	7	10	-	-
Seekonk, . . . . .	1	-	-	72	-	-	-	28	-
Somerset, . . . . .	2	3	2	171	1	5	53	-	-

COUNTY OF BRISTOL — Concluded.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Garnahiel Bradford of Wellesey, State Reform.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Swansea, . . . . .	2	8	-	141	24	12	31	1	-
TAUNTON, . . . . .	41	86	21	2,524	418	576	1,141	81	-
Westport, . . . . .	4	1	1	121	22	8	21	3	-
Totals, . . . . .	305	351	263	15,631	2,309	2,854	7,687	1,137	1

COUNTY OF DUKES COUNTY.

Chilmark, . . . . .	2	-	-	26	4	-	8	-	-
Cottage City,* . . . . .	3	-	-	91	8	3	19	-	-
Edgartown, . . . . .	-	1	2	131	-	-	-	22	-
Gay Head, . . . . .	-	-	-	29	-	-	-	-	-
Gosnold, . . . . .	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-
Tisbury, . . . . .	3	4	5	151	6	7	15	3	-
West Tisbury, . . . . .	-	-	-	61	-	-	-	13	-
Totals, . . . . .	8	5	7	501	18	10	42	38	-

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## COUNTY OF ESSEX.

Amesbury,	9	68	5	928	62	89	301	26
Andover,	8	17	3	643	-	-	-	350
BEVERLY,	35	45	12	1,670	153	157	359	33
Boxford,	2	2	-	92	-	-	-	19
Danvers,	16	34	10	899	88	78	294	16
Essex,	1	5	3	208	22	22	68	4
Georgetown,	8	10	1	238	21	22	93	5
GLOUCESTER,	30	42	21	2,125	474	436	695	93
Groveland,	1	17	4	172	35	28	134	4
Hamilton,	1	2	2	201	9	8	26	3
HAVERRHILL,	41	501	13	2,652	440	471	1,154	104
Ipswich,	11	7	4	479	54	63	147	10
LAWRENCE,	48	248	51	3,706	579	778	3,530	179
LYNN,	66	223	61	5,581	893	1,487	3,076	168
Lynnfield,	-	-	-	96	10	5	13	-
Manchester,	6	1	2	294	24	35	92	5
Marblehead,	14	26	12	873	148	138	466	19
Merrimac,	1	13	-	232	-	-	-	103
Methuen,	9	46	7	737	87	111	160	6
Middleton,	-	-	-	96	5	13	24	-
Nahant,	1	-	-	161	9	7	47	4
Newbury,	3	5	-	189	7	6	19	3
NEWBURYPORT,	33	60	12	1,470	179	218	502	23
North Andover,	8	5	5	432	40	56	165	10
Peabody,	20	22	7	1,043	181	206	773	49
Rockport,	8	31	13	425	-	-	-	255
Rowley,	2	3	1	193	6	11	63	3
SALEM,	46	63	47	3,320	547	735	1,544	112
Salisbury,	1	13	3	184	22	18	50	-

COUNTY OF ESSEX — Concluded.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Gamaliel Bradford of Wellesley, State Government Re- form.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Saugus, . . . . .	4	28	10	624	79	180	128	8	-
Swampscott, . . . . .	7	16	1	563	65	121	86	-	-
Topsfield, . . . . .	2	-	-	140	-	-	-	35	-
Wenham, . . . . .	3	2	1	138	4	4	15	1	-
West Newbury, . . . . .	1	9	1	183	11	9	49	3	-
Totals, . . . . .	446	1,559	312	30,987	4,254	5,462	14,073	1,653	-

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

Ashfield, . . . . .	3	-	1	129	-	-	-	9	-
Barnardston, . . . . .	1	1	-	86	9	-	15	-	-
Buckland, . . . . .	1	1	2	167	8	7	62	3	-
Charlemont, . . . . .	-	3	-	146	-	-	-	23	-
Colrain, . . . . .	-	1	-	146	4	2	12	-	-
Conway, . . . . .	1	2	2	147	11	5	32	3	-
Deerfield, . . . . .	6	1	2	194	11	8	40	4	-
Erving, . . . . .	-	4	-	95	6	15	39	1	-



Gill, .	.	.	.	.	.	1	72	1	1	1	10	-	-
Greenfield, .	.	.	.	.	.	30	869	99	67	359	4	-	-
Hawley, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	46	-	-	-	1	-	-
Heath, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	45	-	-	-	11	-	-
Leverett, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	43	-	-	-	12	-	-
Leyden, .	.	.	.	.	.	1	45	3	-	8	-	-	-
Monroe, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	16	-	-	-	3	-	-
Montague, .	.	.	.	.	.	46	399	49	56	343	13	-	-
New Salem, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	58	3	-	7	-	-	-
Northfield, .	.	.	.	.	.	2	153	43	-	160	43	-	-
Orange, .	.	.	.	.	.	15	685	43	80	14	-	-	-
Rowe, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	59	1	-	6	-	-	-
Shelburne, .	.	.	.	.	.	6	206	11	2	14	-	-	-
Shutesbury, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	28	-	-	-	6	-	-
Sunderland, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	92	-	-	-	19	-	-
Warwick, .	.	.	.	.	.	1	27	2	2	9	-	-	-
Wendell, .	.	.	.	.	.	-	37	3	2	15	-	-	-
Whately, .	.	.	.	.	.	2	64	-	3	38	-	-	-
Totals, .	.	.	.	.	.	86	4,054	263	250	1,169	169	-	-

## COUNTY OF HAMPDEN.

Agawam, .	.	.	.	.	.	13	186	13	9	105	2	-	-
Blandford, .	.	.	.	.	.	2	56	3	-	10	-	-	-
Brimfield, .	.	.	.	.	.	1	64	4	1	11	-	-	-
Chester, .	.	.	.	.	.	3	103	6	-	22	1	-	-
CHICOPEE, .	.	.	.	.	.	5	1,010	126	103	748	20	-	-
East Longmeadow, .	.	.	.	.	.	192	100	-	-	-	25	-	-
Granville, .	.	.	.	.	.	2	58	3	-	23	-	-	-

## COUNTY OF HAMPDEN — Concluded.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Gamaliel Bradford of Wellesley, State Government Re- form.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Hampden, .	2	-	-	52	-	-	-	23	-
Holland, .	-	-	-	16	-	-	-	3	-
HOLYOKE, .	97	169	92	2,526	328	292	2,170	52	-
Longmeadow, .	2	-	1	85	4	2	31	2	-
Ludlow, .	7	4	4	183	10	8	78	2	-
Monson, .	10	7	3	319	38	19	146	2	-
Montgomery, .	-	-	-	19	-	-	6	-	-
Palmer, .	10	8	9	422	54	57	284	17	-
Russell, .	-	-	1	45	3	4	16	-	-
Southwick, .	1	-	-	89	-	-	-	98	-
SOUTHFIELD, .	140	505	96	5,510	334	339	2,560	128	-
Tolland, .	-	-	-	11	1	-	7	1	-
Wales, .	-	-	2	73	2	2	19	-	-
West Springfield, .	27	26	14	502	-	-	-	399	-
Westfield, .	36	100	22	1,172	71	52	609	17	1
Wilbraham, .	2	-	-	107	9	7	26	1	-
Totals, .	408	1,024	289	12,710	1,004	895	6,871	752	1

## COUNTY OF HAMPSHIRE.

Amherst, .	7	1	2	500	9	26	102	5	-
Belchertown, .	5	3	-	147	8	2	50	2	-
Chesterfield, .	2	2	1	83	-	-	-	7	-
Cummington, .	3	-	2	93	6	2	13	-	-
Easthampton, .	4	13	11	532	57	21	240	15	1
Enfield, .	5	2	-	111	2	2	9	-	-
Goshen, .	-	-	-	43	-	-	-	3	-
Granby, .	2	1	1	76	1	2	11	-	-
Greenwich, .	1	1	1	46	1	2	3	-	-
Hadley, .	3	3	-	151	4	2	34	-	-
Hatfield, .	-	-	-	107	2	2	67	3	-
Huntington, .	5	2	1	196	6	5	44	-	-
Middlefield, .	-	-	-	26	1	-	4	-	-
NORTHAMPTON, .	31	50	23	1,370	157	126	711	32	2
Pelham, .	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	4	-
Plainfield, .	-	-	-	61	1	1	8	-	-
Prescott, .	-	-	1	29	2	-	8	-	-
South Hadley, .	12	15	7	476	21	19	96	3	-
Southampton, .	1	1	-	74	7	-	12	-	-
Ware, .	16	53	11	401	82	114	324	13	-
Westhampton, .	-	-	-	42	6	-	7	-	-
Williamsburg, .	2	4	2	161	11	8	113	-	-
Worthington, .	1	-	-	64	-	-	-	8	-
Totals, .	101	150	63	4,729	384	332	1,851	95	3

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Garnett Bradford of Wellesley, State Government Re- form.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Acton, .	1	-	2	249	9	9	36	5	-
Arlington, .	10	9	2	908	52	83	290	26	-
Ashby, .	8	1	-	92	7	1	12	-	-
Ashland, .	2	7	4	189	25	26	63	5	-
Ayer, .	9	2	1	238	23	32	130	10	-
Bedford, .	6	-	-	126	-	-	-	38	-
Belmont, .	3	4	2	423	-	-	-	181	-
BillERICA, .	2	-	3	321	18	35	133	4	-
Boxborough, .	1	-	-	30	-	-	-	15	-
Burlington, .	3	-	-	71	7	3	17	-	-
CAMBRIDGE, .	69	110	31	6,081	799	1,102	5,091	336	1
Carlisle, .	-	-	1	61	5	1	23	1	-
Chelmsford, .	6	4	-	392	40	56	168	6	-
Concord, .	7	1	2	548	21	22	154	10	-
Dracut, .	2	5	5	238	-	-	-	241	-
Dunstable, .	1	-	-	38	-	-	-	17	-
EVERETT, .	19	50	13	2,177	294	596	687	73	-
Frammingham, .	19	13	12	1,221	-	-	-	989	1
Groton, .	1	18	1	209	9	10	42	8	-
Holliston, .	11	5	2	223	-	-	-	193	-
Hopkinton, .	3	4	4	242	-	-	-	304	-
Hudson, .	4	10	5	563	60	153	320	21	-

Lexington, .	6	-	1	488	28	25	59	17	-
Lincoln, .	-	-	-	104	6	1	29	6	-
Littleton, .	-	2	-	126	12	4	28	1	-
LOWELL, .	67	88	44	5,967	755	966	4,903	283	-
MALDEN, .	38	81	30	3,216	397	576	1,205	88	-
MARLBOROUGH, .	23	10	9	1,137	272	416	1,883	67	-
Maynard, .	4	15	8	372	49	72	226	22	-
MEDFORD, .	11	23	8	1,981	153	25	564	60	-
MELROSE, .	20	15	2	1,746	148	228	298	33	-
Natick, .	18	46	7	811	195	208	763	39	-
NEWTON, .	39	61	8	3,492	202	288	1,143	78	-
North Reading, .	-	-	-	113	7	4	15	2	-
Pepperell, .	3	15	-	281	-	-	-	196	-
Reading, .	9	5	-	800	50	57	138	7	-
Sherborn, .	1	-	-	129	12	6	19	-	-
Shirley, .	-	-	1	117	7	26	45	-	-
SOMERVILLE, .	46	111	26	5,750	440	874	1,889	153	-
Stoneham, .	6	8	2	715	88	184	264	26	-
Stow, .	1	2	-	97	3	5	25	-	-
Sudbury, .	1	1	-	142	3	2	22	3	-
Tewksbury, .	4	2	-	156	11	8	40	3	-
Townsend, .	2	3	1	184	16	18	41	3	-
Tyngsborough, .	1	-	-	68	3	7	12	-	-
Wakefield, .	15	20	5	1,029	148	243	509	42	-
WALTHAM, .	19	22	3	2,464	227	458	1,224	88	-
Watertown, .	8	31	5	906	157	212	624	29	-
Wayland, .	7	4	4	221	-	-	-	204	-
Westford, .	4	2	1	213	17	21	75	6	-
Weston, .	5	-	-	217	14	6	25	2	-
Wilmington, .	1	-	-	140	7	6	25	-	-
Winchester, .	5	6	3	759	88	74	204	20	-
WOBURN, .	10	10	14	1,060	190	232	966	87	-
Totals, .	550	826	272	49,646	5,019	7,641	23,339	4,059	4

COUNTY OF NANTUCKET.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Gamaliel Bradford of Wellesley, State Government Re- form.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Nantucket, . . . . .	7	4	4	372	48	15	89	-	-

COUNTY OF NORFOLK.

Avon, . . . . .	3	24	1	172	28	40	109	10	-
Bellingham, . . . . .	-	1	1	79	7	9	41	2	-
Braintree, . . . . .	4	39	2	731	56	110	192	8	-
Brookline, . . . . .	16	10	2	2,610	125	168	548	60	-
Canton, . . . . .	4	1	2	368	37	41	252	14	-
Cohasset, . . . . .	1	2	1	322	33	38	99	17	-
Dedham, . . . . .	11	28	1	740	74	135	294	61	-
Dover, . . . . .	1	-	-	59	4	9	17	1	-
Foxborough, . . . . .	8	1	3	257	21	40	65	9	-
Franklin, . . . . .	3	14	5	411	37	59	173	8	-
Holbrook, . . . . .	1	35	3	299	30	52	105	7	-
Hyde Park, . . . . .	10	64	7	1,130	148	243	493	30	-
Medfield, . . . . .	3	-	1	177	10	6	40	4	-
Medway, . . . . .	6	4	1	227	-	-	-	162	-

Millis, .	1	1	116	14	15	36	1	-
Milton, .	5	6	741	48	83	185	15	-
Needham, .	4	17	369	29	68	79	14	-
Norfolk, .	1	-	62	16	12	26	1	-
Norwood, .	5	27	538	58	140	352	14	-
Plainville, .	-	1	128	-	-	-	46	-
QUINCY, .	27	100	2,115	270	498	1,027	75	-
Randolph, .	6	17	295	56	95	279	18	1
Sharon, .	8	4	268	19	36	56	4	-
Stoughton, .	12	28	511	54	132	288	35	-
Walpole, .	6	23	296	35	49	149	-	-
Wellesley, .	26	6	416	36	39	98	3	-
Westwood, .	2	9	102	5	12	23	5	-
Weymouth, .	13	60	1,018	-	-	-	1,012	-
Wrentham, .	2	1	162	5	12	15	1	-
Totals, .	184	523	14,719	1,255	2,141	5,036	1,632	2

COUNTY OF PLYMOUTH.

Abington, .	1	58	438	77	105	177	13	-
Bridgewater, .	5	8	449	36	63	136	20	-
BROCKTON, .	36	612	3,596	674	1,348	1,886	249	-
Carver, .	-	-	56	10	7	17	-	-
Duxbury, .	4	4	182	-	-	-	23	-
East Bridgewater, .	3	25	288	18	41	96	12	-
Halifax, .	-	-	44	1	5	4	-	-
Hanover, .	-	13	225	16	80	37	4	-
Hanson, .	-	28	127	10	17	22	-	-
Hingham, .	-	2	527	52	50	158	8	-
Hull, .	2	-	165	14	6	25	3	-

COUNTY OF PLYMOUTH — Concluded.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Garnett Bradford of Wellesley, State Government Re- form.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Kingston, .	4	3	1	203	7	9	48	4	1
Lakeville, .	3	1	1	48	1	1	1	16	1
Marion, .	3	1	1	116	1	1	1	43	1
Marshfield, .	3	3	1	148	7	5	15	1	1
Mattapoisett, .	1	2	1	135	6	5	22	1	1
Middleborough, .	3	2	1	501	87	78	148	14	1
Norwell, .	4	3	5	111	9	4	24	1	1
Pembroke, .	1	3	1	107	9	3	17	2	1
Plymouth, .	1	8	1	829	12	189	263	20	2
Plympton, .	21	36	8	51	77	3	7	9	1
Rochester, .	2	1	1	70	8	3	295	32	1
Rockland, .	8	94	11	594	116	170	1	138	1
Selkuate, .	3	1	2	175	1	1	1	238	1
Wareham, .	7	5	3	184	1	1	1	5	1
West Bridgewater, .	1	6	1	149	15	40	41	19	1
Whitman, .	6	60	4	571	96	174	289	1	1
Totals, .	123	973	74	10,033	1,348	2,352	8,727	878	2



COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

BOSTON, . . . . .	408	940	241	37,143	5,632	8,349	34,119	2,571	6
CHELSEA, . . . . .	28	79	31	2,395	330	630	1,286	145	-
Revere, . . . . .	7	23	12	997	139	384	461	50	-
Winthrop, . . . . .	6	3	6	988	41	98	136	9	-
Totals, . . . . .	444	1,045	290	41,523	6,142	9,461	36,002	2,775	6

COUNTY OF WORCESTER.

Ashburnham, . . . . .	1	2	1	168	7	19	37	2	-
Athol, . . . . .	11	26	9	728	53	87	195	17	-
Auburn, . . . . .	1	1	-	141	-	-	-	145	-
Barre, . . . . .	1	-	-	224	6	9	36	3	-
Berlin, . . . . .	-	1	2	132	5	3	10	-	-
Blackstone, . . . . .	7	4	3	255	72	76	413	16	-
Bolton, . . . . .	1	1	-	85	10	6	9	-	-
Boylston, . . . . .	1	-	2	71	1	4	8	-	-
Brookfield, . . . . .	-	-	1	192	20	20	77	5	-
Charlton, . . . . .	5	2	-	156	9	7	44	-	-
Clinton, . . . . .	15	123	22	896	76	157	717	36	-
Dana, . . . . .	2	-	-	59	-	25	-	-	-
Douglas, . . . . .	4	1	1	216	16	19	103	-	-
Dudley, . . . . .	5	15	1	170	34	34	160	2	-
FITCHBURG, . . . . .	35	311	49	2,275	283	384	1,006	59	-
Gardner, . . . . .	12	12	11	1,058	110	177	866	22	-
Grafton, . . . . .	5	8	5	362	26	56	117	3	-
Hardwick, . . . . .	1	1	1	163	11	30	77	2	-

COUNTY OF WORCESTER — Concluded.

CITIES AND TOWNS.	Garnahel Bradford of Wellesley, State form.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Harvard, .	2	5	-	105	3	1	25	1	-
Holden, .	3	-	1	231	14	11	48	2	-
Hopedale, .	-	4	-	412	13	15	35	-	-
Hubbardston, .	1	1	2	102	5	3	26	1	-
Lancaster, .	3	1	-	174	12	7	34	3	-
Leicester, .	4	1	-	292	77	32	209	3	-
Leominster, .	14	68	9	1,277	81	233	415	42	-
Lunenburg, .	1	5	-	114	1	4	6	-	-
Mendon, .	-	3	2	90	7	3	23	-	-
Millford, .	9	24	35	789	129	270	607	25	-
Millbury, .	8	4	6	386	68	47	178	2	-
New Braintree, .	-	-	1	43	-	-	-	18	-
North Brookfield, .	5	2	-	229	24	81	86	3	-
Northborough, .	2	5	-	201	10	21	61	3	-
Northbridge, .	4	7	3	496	44	70	242	11	-
Oakham, .	1	-	1	52	-	-	-	11	-
Oxford, .	7	9	1	205	-	-	-	147	-
Paxton, .	2	-	-	44	-	-	-	10	-
Petersham, .	2	-	1	101	5	1	44	1	-
Phillipston, .	-	-	-	40	5	2	7	-	-
Princeton, .	-	1	1	95	1	1	3	-	-
Royalston, .	2	-	1	83	4	4	21	-	-



## Vote for State Officers — 1906.

## AGGREGATE OF VOTES FOR GOVERNOR.

COUNTIES.	Garnett Bradford of Wellesey, State Reform.	James F. Carey of Haverhill, Social- ist.	William H. Carroll of Boston, Social- ist Labor.	Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, Repub- lican.	John B. Moran of Boston, Prohibi- tion.	John B. Moran of Boston, Independ- ence League.	John B. Moran of Boston, Demo- cratic.	John B. Moran of Boston.	All others.
Barnstable, . . . . .	29	24	16	2,746	214	192	524	38	1
Berkshire, . . . . .	240	383	189	7,431	645	306	3,503	421	1
Bristol, . . . . .	305	351	263	15,631	2,309	2,854	7,687	1,187	1
Dukes County, . . . . .	8	5	7	501	18	10	42	38	1
Essex, . . . . .	446	1,559	312	30,987	4,254	5,462	14,073	1,653	1
Franklin, . . . . .	86	117	30	4,054	263	250	1,169	169	1
Hampden, . . . . .	403	1,024	289	12,710	1,004	835	6,871	732	1
Hampshire, . . . . .	101	150	63	4,729	384	832	1,851	95	3
Middlesex, . . . . .	550	826	272	49,646	5,019	7,641	23,339	4,059	4
Nantucket, . . . . .	7	4	4	372	48	15	89	-	1
Norfolk, . . . . .	184	523	76	14,719	1,255	2,141	5,086	1,632	2
Plymouth, . . . . .	123	978	74	10,033	1,348	2,352	3,727	873	2
Suffolk, . . . . .	444	1,045	290	41,523	6,142	9,461	36,002	2,775	6
Worcester, . . . . .	386	954	297	27,446	2,733	3,944	11,851	1,418	2
Totals, . . . . .	3,312	7,938	2,182	222,528	25,636	85,855	115,764	15,040	23

**For Governor.**

Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston (Republican), . . .	222,528	votes.
John B. Moran of Boston (Democratic), . . .	115,764	"
John B. Moran of Boston (Independence League), .	35,855	"
John B. Moran of Boston (Prohibition), . . .	25,636	"
John B. Moran of Boston (No designation), . . .	15,040	"
James F. Carey of Haverhill (Socialist), . . .	7,938	"
Gamaliel Bradford of Wellesley (State Government Reform), . . . . .	3,312	"
William H. Carroll of Boston (Socialist Labor), .	2,182	"
All others, . . . . .	23	"

**For Lieutenant Governor.**

Eben S. Draper of Hopedale (Republican), . . .	200,747	votes.
E. Gerry Brown of Brockton (Independence League. Democratic), . . . . .	191,138	"
John F. Mullen of Fitchburg (Socialist), . . .	8,932	"
Hervey S. Cowell of Ashburnham (Prohibition), .	7,048	"
Walter J. Hoar of Worcester (Socialist Labor), .	4,841	"
All others, . . . . .	22	"

**For Secretary.**

William M. Olin of Boston (Republican), . . .	221,600	votes.
Charles C. Paine of Barnstable (Independence League. Democratic), . . . . .	150,925	"
Ambrose Miles of Lynn (Socialist), . . . . .	12,265	"
Jonathan S. Lewis of Stoneham (Prohibition), .	5,995	"
João Claudino of New Bedford (Socialist Labor), .	4,619	"
All others, . . . . .	5	"

**For Treasurer and Receiver General.**

Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke (Republican), . . .	220,929	votes.
George M. Harrigan of Lowell (Independence League. Democratic), . . . . .	147,044	"
George B. Cushman of Brockton (Socialist), . .	12,741	"
S. Frederick French of Mansfield (Prohibition), .	6,618	"
David F. Richardson of Lynn (Socialist Labor), .	4,819	"
All others, . . . . .	5	"

**For Auditor.**

Henry E. Turner of Malden (Republican), . . .	211,778	votes.
Thomas L. Hisgen of West Springfield (Independence League. Democratic), . . .	149,553	"
Fred L. Johnson of Lynn (Socialist), . . .	12,436	"
James F. Pease of Merrimac (Prohibition), . . .	7,049	"
Albert Barnes of Fall River (Socialist Labor), . . .	5,530	"
All others, . . . . .	4	"

**For Attorney-General.**

Dana Malone of Greenfield (Republican), . . .	204,947	votes.
John A. Thayer of Worcester (Democratic), . . .	161,490	"
John Weaver Sherman of Boston (Socialist), . . .	13,207	"
Allen Coffin of Nantucket (Prohibition), . . .	9,164	"
Arthur E. Reimer of Boston (Socialist Labor), . . .	5,262	"
All others, . . . . .	5	"

**For Executive Councillors.****FIRST DISTRICT.**

David Gurney Pratt of Middleborough (Republican),	23,833	votes.
Thomas J. Meaney of New Bedford (Democratic), .	11,993	"
Charles E. Lowell of Brockton (Socialist), . . .	4,034	"
All others, . . . . .	2	"

**SECOND DISTRICT.**

Albion F. Bemis of Brookline (Republican), . . .	31,589	votes.
Richard P. Coughlin of Taunton (Democratic), . . .	18,546	"
Edward F. Brault of Quincy (Socialist), . . .	2,044	"
All others, . . . . .	2	"

**THIRD DISTRICT.**

Edward P. Barry of Boston (Democratic), . . .	35,772	votes.
Robert Silverman of Boston (Republican), . . .	12,180	"
Moses J. Konikow of Boston (Socialist), . . .	1,816	"
All others, . . . . .	1	vote.

**FOURTH DISTRICT.**

Alfred E. Cox of Malden (Republican), . . .	33,959	votes.
Timothy J. Reagan of Cambridge (Socialist), . . .	6,879	"
All others, . . . . .	8	"

**FIFTH DISTRICT.**

Lewis H. Bartlett of Lynn (Republican), . . .	29,369 votes.
Frank H. Hills of Salem (Democratic), . . .	16,197 “
Harry G. Wright of Salem (Socialist), . . .	2,702 “

**SIXTH DISTRICT.**

Seward W. Jones of Newton (Republican), . . .	31,986 votes.
Edward Gallagher of Lowell (Democratic), . . .	20,235 “
John C. Call of Newton (Socialist), . . .	1,633 “
All others, . . . . .	2 “

**SEVENTH DISTRICT.**

Calvin D. Paige of Southbridge (Republican), . . .	27,561 votes.
Charles T. Pratt of Worcester (Democratic), . . .	16,509 “
Robert Lawrance of Clinton (Socialist), . . .	1,907 “

**EIGHTH DISTRICT.**

Franklin W. Russell of Pittsfield (Republican), . . .	25,839 votes.
Hugh McLean of Holyoke (Democratic), . . .	15,649 “
Edward A. Buckland of Holyoke (Socialist), . . .	2,522 “
Oliver W. Cobb of Easthampton (Prohibition), . . .	1,092 “
All others, . . . . .	2 “





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LIST OF THE

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1907.

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## **EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

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His Excellency CURTIS GUILD, JR. (*R.*), of Boston,  
GOVERNOR.

His Honor EBEN S. DRAPER (*R.*) of Hopedale,  
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

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### **Council.**

#### **District**

- I. — DAVID G. PRATT (*R.*) of Middleborough.
  - II. — ALBION F. BEMIS (*R.*) of Brookline.
  - III. — EDWARD P. BARRY (*D.*) of Boston.
  - IV. — ALFRED E. COX (*R.*) of Malden.
  - V. — LEWIS H. BARTLETT (*R.*) of Lynn.
  - VI. — SEWARD W. JONES (*R.*) of Newton.
  - VII. — CALVIN D. PAIGE (*R.*) of Southbridge.
  - VIII. — FRANKLIN W. RUSSELL (*R.*) of Pittsfield.
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### **Secretary to the Governor.**

CHARLES F. GETTEMY of Boston.

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### **Executive Secretary.**

EDWARD F. HAMLIN of Newton.

**Committees of the Council.**

*On Pardons, Charitable Institutions and Prisons.*—His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. Pratt, Mr. Bartlett, Mr. Bemis, Mr. Barry.

*On Finance, Accounts and Warrants.*—His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. Cox, Mr. Bemis, Mr. Russell, Mr. Paige.

*On Harbors and Public Lands and Railroads.*—Mr. Bartlett, Mr. Pratt, Mr. Cox, Mr. Barry, Mr. Jones.

*On Military and Naval Affairs.*—Mr. Cox, Mr. Jones, Mr. Paige, Mr. Bartlett, Mr. Barry.

*On State House.*—Mr. Pratt, Mr. Jones, Mr. Bemis, Mr. Paige, Mr. Russell.

**Messenger to the Governor and Council.**

William L. Reed, . . . . . Boston.

**Secretary of the Commonwealth.**

WILLIAM M. OLIN (*R.*) of Boston.

Isaac H. Edgett, *First Clerk and Deputy*, . . . Beverly.

Herbert H. Boynton, *Second Clerk and Deputy*, . . North Abington.

James J. Tracy, *Chief of Archives Division*, . . Everett.

**Treasurer and Receiver-General.**

ARTHUR B. CHAPIN (*R.*) of Holyoke.

Henry S. Bridge, *First Clerk*, . . . West Medford.

James C. Bond, *Receiving Teller*, . . Boston.

Eben Sumner, *Paying Teller*, . . Newton.

Wendell P. Marden, *Cashier*, . . Newton.

George S. Hatch, *Legacy Tax Clerk*, . . Medford.

Daniel C. V. Palmer, *Deputy Sealer of Weights and Measures*, . . Malden.

**Auditor of Accounts.**

**HENRY E. TURNER** (*R.*) of Malden.

William D. Hawley, *First Clerk*, . . . . . Malden.  
James Pope, *Second Clerk*, . . . . . Melrose.

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**Attorney-General.**

**DANA MALONE** (*R.*) of Greenfield.

Walter Perley Hall, *Assistant*, . . . . . Fitchburg.  
Frederic B. Greenhalge, *Assistant*, . . . . . Lowell.  
Fred T. Field, *Assistant*, . . . . . Cambridge.  
James F. Curtis, *Assistant*, . . . . . Boston.  
Andrew Marshal, *Law Clerk*, . . . . . Boston.

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**Governor's Staff.**

*Adjutant General.\**

Brig. Gen. James P. Parker, . . . . . Boston.

*Surgeon General.*

Brig. Gen. William H. Devine, . . . . . Boston.

*Inspector General.*

Brig. Gen. William H. Brigham, . . . . . Hudson.

*Commissary General.*

Brig. Gen. Frederick B. Carpenter, . . . . . Boston.

*Quartermaster General.*

Brig. Gen. William B. Emery, . . . . . Newton.

*Judge Advocate General.*

Brig. Gen. Hugh Bancroft, . . . . . Cambridge.

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\* Brig. Gen. James A. Frye resigned the office of Adjutant General, held by him since 1906, his resignation to take effect March 15, 1907.

*Executive Department.**Assistant Adjutant General.*

Col. William C. Capelle, . . . . . Boston.

*Inspector General of Small Arms Practice.*

Col. James G. White, . . . . . Newton.

*Assistant Inspectors General.*

Lieut. Col. Edwin W. M. Bailey, . . . . . Amesbury.

Lieut. Col. Henry L. Williams, . . . . . Northampton.

Lieut. Col. Samuel D. Parker, . . . . . Boston.

Com. William B. Edgar (Naval), . . . . . Fall River.

Lieut. Col. Roger Wolcott, . . . . . Milton.

Lieut. Col. George H. Doty, . . . . . Waltham.

*Assistant Quartermaster General.*

Maj. Edward Glines, . . . . . Somerville.

*Aids-de-Camp.*

Maj. Ira Vaughn, . . . . . Salem.

Maj. Thomas D. Barroll, . . . . . Boston.

Maj. John A. Curtin, . . . . . Brookline.

Maj. Charles Hayden, . . . . . Boston.

**Massachusetts Volunteer Militia.**

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*First Brigade.*

Brig. Gen. Embury P. Clark, . . . . . Springfield.

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*Second Brigade.*

Brig. Gen. Jophanus H. Whitney, . . . . . Medford.

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*Corps of Cadets — Unattached.*

First Corps Cadets, Lieut. Col. Thomas Talbot, . . . . . Billerica.

Second Corps Cadets, Lieut. Col. Andrew Fitz, . . . . . Salem.

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*Naval Brigade.*

Chief of Brigade, Capt. George R. H. Buffinton, . . . . . Fall River.

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*Ambulance Corps.*

Capt. Robert B. Bell, . . . . . Lowell.

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*Signal Corps.*

Capt. Walter C. Stevens, . . . . . Melrose.





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# LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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SENATE, . . . BY DISTRICTS.

Hon. WILLIAM D. CHAPPLE (R.) (Second Essex), President.

District.	N A M E.	Residence.	Residence during Season.
Berkshire, . . .	Thomas F. Cassidy (D.), .	Adams, . . .	Adams House, Boston.
Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden.	William H. Feiker (R.), .	Northampton, 39 Main Street.	Parker House, Boston.
First Bristol, . . .	Thomas W. Williams (R.), .	Attleborough, 101 Dean Street.	At home.
Second “ . . .	Frank M. Chace (R.), .	Fall River, 278 Franklin Street.	At home.
Third “ . . .	William J. Bullock (R.), .	New Bedford, 15 Fair Street.	At home.
Cape, . . .	Eben S. S. Keith (R.), .	Bourne (P.O., Sagamore),	Hotel Touraine, Boston.
First Essex, . . .	William R. Salter (R.), .	Lynn, 4 Ireson Street, .	At home.

District.	N A M E.	Residence.	Residence during Session.
Second Essex, . . .	William D. Chapple (R.), .	Salem, 10 Cross Street, .	At home.
Third " . . .	James F. Shaw (R.), .	Manchester, . . .	Hotel Touraine, Boston.
Fourth " . . .	Harry P. Morse (R.), .	Haverhill (Bradford), 228 Main Street.	At home.
Fifth " . . .	Joseph Donovan (R.), .	Lawrence, 56 Bradford Street.	At home.
Franklin and Hampshire, . . .	George J. Gallond (R.), .	Amherst, 28 Pleasant Street.	Newton, 15 Church Street.
First Hampden, . . .	William P. Hayes (D.), .	Springfield, 100 Westford Avenue.	Adams House, Boston.
Second " . . .	Daniel D. Mahoney (D.), .	Holyoke, 678 East Street,	Adams House, Boston.
First Middlesex, . . .	James H. Vahey (R. I, D.),	Watertown, 8 Patten Street.	At home.
Second " . . .	Frederick J. Macleod (D.), .	Cambridge, 29 Wendell Street.	At home.
Third " . . .	Elmer A. Stevens (R.), .	Somerville (West), 103 Liberty Avenue.	At home.
Fourth " . . .	Charles L. Dean (R.), .	Malden, 90 Cedar Street,	At home.
Fifth " . . .	John J. Mitchell (D.), .	Marlborough, 113 Hudson Street.	At home.
Sixth " . . .	Herbert S. Riley (R.), .	Woburn, 91 Prospect Street.	At home.

Seventh	"	.	.	James Wilson Grimes (R.),	.	Reading, "The Elmwood."	At home.
Eighth	"	.	.	John J. McManmon (D.),	.	Lowell, 57 Second Avenue.	At home.
First Norfolk,	.	.	.	Charles F. Jenney (R.),	.	Hyde Park, 100 Gordon Avenue.	At home.
Second	"	.	.	William O. Faxon (R.),	.	Stoughton, 4 Walnut Avenue.	At home.
First Plymouth,	.	.	.	Frank G. Wheatley (R.),	.	North Abington, 174 Adams Street.	At home.
Second	"	.	.	George H. Garfield (R.),	.	Brockton, 27 Plymouth Street.	At home.
First Suffolk,	.	.	.	Alfred S. Hall (R.),	.	Revere, 312 Malden Street,	At home.
Second	"	.	.	James J. Mellen (D.),	.	Boston (Charlestown), 23 Medford Street.	At home.
Third	"	.	.	Edward W. Dixon (D.),	.	Boston, 201 Salem Street,	At home.
Fourth	"	.	.	Thomas F. Curley (D.),	.	Boston (Roxbury), 6 Fairland Street.	At home.
Fifth	"	.	.	Guy W. Cox (R.),	.	Boston, Hotel Westminster.	At home.
Sixth	"	.	.	Frank J. Linehan (D.),	.	Boston (South), 195 West Fifth Street.	At home.
Seventh	"	.	.	William W. Clarke (D.),	.	Boston (Roxbury), 98 Calumet Street.	At home.
Eighth	"	.	.	Thomas Leavitt (R.),	.	Boston (Dorchester Center), 137 Tonawanda Street.	At home.

DISTRICT.	N A M E.	Residence.	Residence during Season.
Ninth Suffolk, . . .	Edward J. Bromberg (R.), .	Boston (Roslindale), 12 Florence Street.	At home.
First Worcester, . . .	Arthur M. Taft (R.), .	Worcester, 5 Woodland Street.	At home.
Second " . . .	Allan G. Buttrick (R.), .	Lancaster, . . .	At home.
Third " . . .	J. Lovell Johnson (R.), .	Fitchburg, 251 Main Street.	At home.
Fourth " . . .	Winfield S. Schuster (R.), .	Douglas (East), . .	At home.
Worcester and Hampden,	Charles N. Prouty (R.), .	Spencer, . . .	Hotel Bellevue, Boston.

## ARRANGEMENT OF THE SENATE.

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HON. WILLIAM D. CHAPPLE, PRESIDENT.

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**RIGHT.**

1. Hon. William H. Feiker.
2. Hon. Frederick J. Macleod.
3. Hon. John J. McManmon.
4. Hon. Charles L. Dean.
5. Hon. Joseph Donovan.
6. Hon. James J. Mellen.
7. Hon. Guy W. Cox.
8. Hon. James H. Vahey.
9. Hon. William P. Hayes.
10. Hon. William J. Bullock.
11. Hon. Charles F. Jenney.
12. Hon. James W. Grimes.
13. Hon. Herbert S. Riley.
14. Hon. George J. Gallond.
15. Hon. Charles N. Prouty.
16. Hon. William W. Clarke.
17. Hon. Daniel D. Mahoney.
18. Hon. Thomas F. Cassidy.
19. Hon. Edward W. Dixon.
20. Hon. Elmer A. Stevens.

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1. Hon. Edward J. Bromberg.
2. Hon. William R. Salter.
3. Hon. Harry P. Morse.
4. Hon. John J. Mitchell.
5. Hon. Thomas F. Curley.
6. Hon. Frank J. Linehan.
7. Hon. George H. Garfield.
8. Hon. Winfield S. Schuster.
9. Hon. Eben S. S. Keith.
10. Hon. Alfred S. Hall.
11. Hon. Frank M. Chace.
12. Hon. Thomas W. Williams.
13. (Vacant.)
14. Hon. Thomas Leavitt.
15. Hon. William O. Faxon.
16. Hon. Frank G. Wheatley.
17. Hon. J. Lovell Johnson.
18. Hon. Allan G. Buttrick.
19. Hon. James F. Shaw.
20. Hon. Arthur M. Taft.

## SENATE, ALPHABETICALLY.

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HON. WILLIAM D. CHAPPLE (Second Essex),  
PRESIDENT.

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Bromberg, Edward J.,	.	.	.	<i>Ninth Suffolk</i>	<i>District.</i>
Bullock, William J.,	.	.	.	<i>Third Bristol</i>	"
Buttrick, Allan G.,	.	.	.	<i>Second Worcester</i>	"
Cassidy, Thomas F.,	.	.	.	<i>Berkshire</i>	"
Chace, Frank M.,	.	.	.	<i>Second Bristol</i>	"
Chapple, William D.,	.	.	.	<i>Second Essex</i>	"
Clarke, William W.,	.	.	.	<i>Seventh Suffolk</i>	"
Cox, Guy W.,	.	.	.	<i>Fifth Suffolk</i>	"
Curley, Thomas F.,	.	.	.	<i>Fourth Suffolk</i>	"
Dean, Charles L.,	.	.	.	<i>Fourth Middlesex</i>	"
Dixon, Edward W.,	.	.	.	<i>Third Suffolk</i>	"
Donovan, Joseph,	.	.	.	<i>Fifth Essex</i>	"
Faxon, William O.,	.	.	.	<i>Second Norfolk</i>	"
Feiker, William H.,	.	.	{	<i>Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden</i>	{ " }
Gallond, George J.,	.	.	.	{ <i>Franklin and Hampshire</i> }	{ " }
Garfield, George H.,	.	.	.	<i>Second Plymouth</i>	"
Grimes, James W.,	.	.	.	<i>Seventh Middlesex</i>	"
Hall, Alfred S.,	.	.	.	<i>First Suffolk</i>	"
Hayes, William P.,	.	.	.	<i>First Hampden</i>	"
Jenney, Charles F.,	.	.	.	<i>First Norfolk</i>	"



Johnson, J. Lovell,	.	.	.	.	<i>Third Worcester District.</i>	
Keith, Eben S. S.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Cape</i>	"
Leavitt, Thomas,	.	.	.	.	<i>Eighth Suffolk</i>	"
Linehan, Frank J.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Sixth Suffolk</i>	"
Macleod, Frederick J.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Second Middlesex</i>	"
Mahoney, Daniel D.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Second Hampden</i>	"
McManmon, John J.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Eighth Middlesex</i>	"
Mellen, James J.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Second Suffolk</i>	"
Mitchell, John J.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>	"
Morse, Harry P.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Fourth Essex</i>	"
Pronty, Charles N.,	.	.	.	.	{ <i>Worcester and</i> <i>Hampden</i> }	"
Riley, Herbert S.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Sixth Middlesex</i>	"
Salter, William R.,	.	.	.	.	<i>First Essex</i>	"
Schuster, Winfield S.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Fourth Worcester</i>	"
Shaw, James F.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Third Essex</i>	"
Stevens, Elmer A.,	.	.	.	.	<i>Third Middlesex</i>	"
Taft, Arthur M.,	.	.	.	.	<i>First Worcester</i>	"
Vahey, James H.,	.	.	.	.	<i>First Middlesex</i>	"
Wheatley, Frank G.,	.	.	.	.	<i>First Plymouth</i>	"
Williams, Thomas W.,	.	.	.	.	<i>First Bristol</i>	"

## OFFICERS OF THE SENATE.

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HENRY D. COOLIDGE, CONCORD, . *Clerk.*

WILLIAM H. SANGER, BOSTON, . *Assistant Clerk.*

DAVID T. REMINGTON, SOMERVILLE, *Sergeant-at-Arms.*

REV. EDWARD A. HORTON, BOSTON, *Chaplain.*

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.  
(BY COUNTIES.)

[In this list the politics of the several members are designated as follows: *R.*, Republican; *D.*, Democrat; *R. I.*, Republican Independent; *D. I.*, Democratic Independent; *I. C.*, Independent Citizens.]

COUNTY OF BARNSTABLE.

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
1 {	Barnstable, . . Bourne, . . . Falmouth, . . . Mashpee, . . . Sandwich, . . .	Thomas Pattison, <i>R.</i> , . .	Barnstable.
2 {	Chatham, . . . Dennis, . . . Harwich, . . . Yarmouth, . . .	Clenric H. Cahoon, <i>R.</i> , . .	Harwich.
3 {	Brewster, . . . Eastham, . . . Orleans, . . . Provincetown, . . Truro, . . . Wellfleet, . . .	Lorenzo D. Baker, Jr., <i>R.</i> , .	Wellfleet.

COUNTY OF BERKSHIRE.

1 {	Clarksburg, . . . Florida, . . . North Adams, . . Wards 3, 4, 5, . . Savoy, . . .	Hugh P. Drysdale, <i>R.</i> , . .	North Adams.
2 {	North Adams, . . Wards 1, 2, 6, 7,	S. John Lamoureux, <i>R.</i> , . .	North Adams.

**COUNTY OF BERKSHIRE — *Concluded.***

<b>No. of District.</b>	<b>District.</b>	<b>Name of Representative.</b>	<b>Residence.</b>
3 {	Adams, . . . Cheshire, . . . Hinsdale, . . . New Ashford, . . . Pern, . . . Windsor, . . .	} Arthur H. Streeter, <i>R.</i> , . .	Adams.
4 {	Dalton, . . . Hancock, . . . Lanesborough, . . . Pittsfield, Ward 1, Williamstown, . .	} John F. Prindle, <i>D.</i> , . .	Williamstown.
5 {	Pittsfield, Wards 2, 6, 7, . . .	} William Turtle, <i>R.</i> , . .	Pittsfield.
6 {	Pittsfield, Wards 3, 4, 5, . . .	} Hezekiah S. Russell, <i>R.</i> , . .	Pittsfield.
7 {	Becket, . . . Lee, . . . Lenox, . . . Monterey, . . . New Marlboro', . . . Otis, . . . Richmond, . . . Sandisfield, . . . Tyringham, . . . Washington, . .	} Charles H. Shaylor, <i>R.</i> , . .	Lee.
8 {	Alford, . . . Egremont, . . . Great Barrington, Mt. Washington, . . . Sheffield, . . . Stockbridge, . . . West Stockbridge, . .	} George H. Blodgett, <i>R.</i> , . .	Sheffield.

**COUNTY OF BRISTOL.**

1 {	Attleborough, . . . N. Attleborough, . . . Norton, . . . Seekonk, . . .	} Frank O. Coombs, <i>R.</i> , . . Samuel M. Holman, <i>R.</i> , . .	N. Attleboro'. Attleborough.
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**COUNTY OF BRISTOL — *Concluded.***

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
2 {	Easton, . . . Mansfield, . . . Raynham, . . .	{ William L. Robinson, <i>R.</i> , .	Mansfield.
3 {	Taunton, Wards 5, 7, 8, . . .	{ Michael J. Kenney, <i>R.</i> , .	Taunton.
4 {	Taunton, Wards 2, 3, 4, . . .	{ William M. Dean, <i>R.</i> , .	Taunton.
5 {	Berkley, . . . Dighton, . . . Rehoboth, . . . Taunton, Wards 1, 6, . . .	{ Charles H. Macomber, <i>R.</i> , .	Berkley.
6 {	Acushnet, . . . Dartmouth, . . . Fairhaven, . . . Freetown, . . .	{ Henry F. Taber, <i>R.</i> , . .	Acushnet.
7 {	New Bedford, Wards 1, 2, 3, .	{ Joseph A. Gauthier, <i>R.</i> , . Samuel Ross, <i>R.</i> , . .	New Bedford. "
8 {	New Bedford, Wards 4, 5, 6, .	{ Andrew P. Doyle, <i>R.</i> , . Nathaniel P. Sowle, <i>R.</i> , .	New Bedford. "
9 {	Fall River, Wards 1, 2, . . . Westport, . . .	{ William H. Cook, <i>R.</i> , . Thomas F. Higgins, <i>D.</i> , .	Fall River. "
10 {	Fall River, Wards 3, 4, 5, . . .	{ Francis J. Fennelly, <i>D.</i> , . Joseph A. Parks, <i>D.</i> , .	Fall River. "
11 {	Fall River, Wards 6, 7, 8, 9, . . . Somerset, . . . Swansea, . . .	{ Charles E. Bolvin, <i>R.</i> , . David P. Keefe, <i>R.</i> , . . Joseph Turner, <i>R.</i> , . .	Fall River " "

**COUNTY OF DUKES COUNTY.**

1 {	Chilmark, . . . Cottage City,* . . . Edgartown, . . . Gay Head, . . . Gosnold, . . . Tisbury, . . . West Tisbury, . . .	{ Ulysses E. Mayhew, <i>R.</i> , .	West Tisbury.
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\* Name of town changed to Oak Bluffs by act of the General Court, January 25, 1907.

## COUNTY OF ESSEX.

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
1 {	Amesbury, . . .	{ Samuel L. Porter, <i>R.</i> , . .	Amesbury.
	Merrimac, . . .		
2 {	Haverhill, Wards 1, 2, 3, . . .	{ William H. Trudel, <i>R.</i> , . .	Haverhill.
3 {	Haverhill, Wards 4, 6, . . .	{ Leslie K. Morse, <i>R.</i> , . .	Haverhill.
4	Haverhill, Ward 5,	Arthur L. Nason, <i>R.</i> , . .	Haverhill.
5 {	Lawrence, Wards 1, 2, . . .	{ George Bunting, <i>R.</i> , . .	Methuen.
	Methuen, . . .	{ Emil J. Muehlig, <i>R.</i> , . .	Lawrence.
6 {	Lawrence, Wards 3, 4, . . .	{ William A. Kelleher, <i>D.</i> , . .	Lawrence.
7	Lawrence, Ward 5,	George S. J. Hyde, <i>R.</i> , . .	Lawrence.
8	Lawrence, Ward 6,	William J. Graham, <i>D.</i> , . .	Lawrence.
9	Andover, . . .	John N. Cole, <i>R.</i> , . .	Andover.
10 {	Boxford, . . .	{ John F. Cook, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Haverhill.
	Groveland, . . .		
	Haverhill, Ward 7,		
	North Andover, . .		
11	Peabody, . . .	James B. Carbreys, <i>D.</i> , . .	Peabody.
12 {	Lynn, Ward 3, . .	{ William E. Dorman, <i>R.</i> , . .	Lynn.
	Swampscott, . .	{ George H. Newhall, <i>R.</i> , . .	"
13 {	Lynn, Wards 1, 5, 7,	{ Arthur W. Barker, <i>R.</i> , . .	Lynn.
	Lynnfield, . . .	{ John H. McKenney, <i>R.</i> , . .	"
14 {	Lynn, Wards 2, 4,	{ Charles Cabot Johnson, <i>R.</i> , . .	Nahant.
	Nahant, . . .	{ Matthew McCann, <i>R.</i> , . .	Lynn.
15 {	Lynn, Ward 6, . .	{ Herbert M. Forristall, <i>D.</i> , . .	Saugus.
	Saugus, . . .	{ Philip A. Kiely, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Lynn.
16	Marblehead, . .	Frank W. Goodwin, <i>R.</i> , . .	Marblehead.
17	Salem, Wards 1, 2,	Thomas L. Davis, <i>D.</i> , . .	Salem.
18	Salem, Wards 3, 5,	Robert E. Pollock, <i>R.</i> , . .	Salem.
19	Salem, Wards 4, 6,	G. Arthur Bodwell, <i>R.</i> , . .	Salem.
20 {	Beverly, . . .	{ Melvin B. Putnam, <i>R.</i> , . .	Danvers.
	Danvers, . . .	{ Albert Vittum, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Beverly.

**COUNTY OF ESSEX — *Concluded.***

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
21 {	Gloucester, Wards 4, 5, 8, . . . Manchester, . . .	Clifford B. Terry, <i>R.</i> , .	Gloucester.
22 {	Gloucester, Wards 3, 6, 7, . . .	John A. Stoddart, <i>R.</i> , .	Gloucester.
23 {	Gloucester, Wards 1, 2, . . . Rockport, . . .	Ralph T. Parker, <i>R. I.</i> , .	Rockport.
24 {	Essex, . . . Hamilton, . . . Ipswich, . . . Middleton, . . . Rowley, . . . Topsfield, . . . Wenham, . . .	Oscar H. Ewing, <i>R.</i> , .	Ipswich.
25 {	Newburyport, Wards 1, 2, 3, 4,	Clarence J. Fogg, <i>R.</i> , .	Newburyport.
26 {	Georgetown, . . . Newbury, . . . Newburyport, Wards 5, 6, . . . Salisbury, . . . West Newbury, . . .	Samuel F. Coffin, <i>D.</i> , .	W. Newbury.

**COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.**

1 {	Ashfield, . . . Buckland, . . . Charlemont, . . . Colrain, . . . Conway, . . . Hawley, . . . Heath, . . . Monroe, . . . Rowe, . . . Sbelburne, . . . Whately, . . .	Charles F. Elmer, <i>D.</i> , .	Conway.
2	Greenfield, . . .	Lyman W. Griswold, <i>R.</i> , .	Greenfield.

**COUNTY OF FRANKLIN — *Concluded.***

<b>No. of District.</b>	<b>District.</b>	<b>Name of Representative.</b>	<b>Residence.</b>
3 {	Bernardston, . Deerfield, . Gill, . Leverett, . Leyden, . Montague, . Sunderland, .	James A. Gunn, R., .	Montague.
4 {	Erving, . New Salem, . Northfield, . Orange, . Shutesbury, . Warwick, . Wendell, .	Dennis E. Farley, R., .	Erving.

**COUNTY OF HAMPDEN.**

1 {	Brimfield, . Holland, . Monson, . Palmer, . Wales, .	Ernest E. Hobson, R., .	Palmer.
2 {	Agawam, . Blandford, . Chester, . East Longmeadow, . Granville, . Hampden, . Longmeadow, . Ludlow, . Montgomery, . Russell, . Southwick, . Tolland, . West Springfield, . Wilbraham, .	William F. Cook, R., . George D. Green, R., .	W. Springfield. Ludlow.
3	Springfield, Wd. 1,	Edwin F. Leonard, R., .	Springfield.
4 {	Springfield, Wards 2, 3, . . .	John C. Bennett, D., .	Springfield.
5 {	Springfield, Wards 4, 5, 6, . . .	Frank D. Kemp, R., . Daniel H. Morgan, R., .	Springfield. “



**COUNTY OF HAMPDEN — *Concluded.***

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
6	Springfield, Wd. 7,	Charles T. Holt, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Springfield.
7	Springfield, Wd. 8,	Frank G. Hodskins, <i>R.</i> , . .	Springfield.
8	Chicopee, . . .	Ernest Dalton, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Chicopee.
9	Holyoke, Wards 1, 2, 4, . . .	{ Andrew F. Healy, <i>D.</i> , . .	Holyoke.
10	Holyoke, Wards 3, 6, . . .	{ Adam Leining, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Holyoke.
11	Holyoke, Wards 5, 7, . . .	{ Thomas J. Dillon, <i>D.</i> , . .	Holyoke.
12	Westfield, . . .	James H. Bryan, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Westfield.

**COUNTY OF HAMPSHIRE.**

1	Northampton, . . .	Calvin Coolidge, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Northampton.
2	{ Chesterfield, . . . Cummington, . . . Easthampton, . . . Goshen, . . . Huntington, . . . Middlefield, . . . Plainfield, . . . Southampton, . . . Westhampton, . . . Williamsburg, . . . Worthington, . . .	{ Darwin E. Lyman, <i>R.</i> , . .	Cummington.
3	{ Amherst, . . . Hadley, . . . Hatfield, . . . South Hadley, . . .	{ Alvin L. Wright, <i>R.</i> , . . .	South Hadley.
4	{ Belchertown, . . . Enfield, . . . Granby, . . . Greenwich, . . . Pelham, . . . Prescott, . . . Ware, . . .	{ John H. Schoonmaker, <i>R.</i> , . .	Ware.

## COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
1 {	Cambridge, Wds. 1, 2, 3, . . .	{ Manuel Andrew, <i>D.</i> , . . William M. Hogan, <i>D.</i> , .	Cambridge. "
2 {	Cambridge, Wds. 4, 5, 6, 7, . . .	{ Fred L. Beunke, <i>R.</i> , . . George A. Giles, <i>R.</i> , . . Julius Meyers, <i>R.</i> , . .	Cambridge. " "
3 {	Cambridge, Wds. 8, 9, 10, 11, . .	{ Samuel D. Elmore, <i>R.</i> , . . George W. Long, <i>R.</i> , . . Harry N. Stearns, <i>R.</i> , .	Cambridge. " "
4	Newton, . . .	{ Elias B. Bishop, <i>R.</i> , . . William F. Garcelon, <i>R.</i> , . John F. Lothrop, <i>R.</i> , . .	Newton. " "
5	Waltham, . . .	{ Patrick J. Duane, <i>D.</i> , . . John H. Marcy, <i>R.</i> , . .	Waltham. "
6	Natick, . . .	Martin T. Hall, <i>D.</i> , . .	Natick.
7	Framingham, .	Harry N. Winch, <i>R.</i> , . .	Framingham.
8 {	Ashland, . . . Holliston, . . . Hopkinton, . . . Sherborn, . . .	{ Wilbur A. Wood, <i>R.</i> , . .	Hopkinton.
9	Marlborough, .	William M. Brigham, <i>R.</i> , .	Marlborough.
10 {	Boxborough, . . . Hudson, . . . Maynard, . . . Stow, . . .	{ Fred F. Trull, <i>R.</i> , . .	Hudson.
11 {	Acton, . . . Ayer, . . . Carlisle, . . . Chelmsford, . . . Littleton, . . . Westford, . . .	{ Edwin C. Perham, <i>R.</i> , . .	Chelmsford.
12 {	Ashby, . . . Dunstable, . . . Groton, . . . Pepperell, . . . Shirley, . . . Townsend, . . . Tyngsborough, . .	{ Waldo Spaulding, <i>R.</i> , . .	Pepperell.

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX—*Continued.*

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
13 {	Bedford, . . . Concord, . . . Lincoln, . . . Sudbury, . . . Wayland, . . . Weston, . . .	{ Albion F. Parmenter, <i>R.</i> , . .	Wayland.
14 {	Dracut, . . . Lowell, Ward 1, . .	{ Charles J. Wier, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Lowell.
15	Lowell, Ward 2, . .	John F. Meehan, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Lowell.
16	Lowell, Wds. 4, 5,	Martin F. Conley, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Lowell.
17 {	Lowell, Wards 3, 6, 7, . . . . .	{ William H. I. Hayes, <i>R.</i> , . . Charles F. Varnum, <i>R.</i> , . .	Lowell. "
18	Lowell, Ward 8, . .	Albert F. Grant, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Lowell.
19 {	Billerica, . . . Lowell, Ward 9, . . Tewksbury, . . .	{ William E. Westall, <i>R.</i> , . .	Lowell.
20 {	Burlington, . . . North Reading, . . Reading, . . . Wilmington, . . . Woburn, . . .	{ John B. Lewis, Jr., <i>I. C.</i> , <i>D.</i> , Andrew R. Linscott, <i>R.</i> , . .	Reading. Woburn.
21	Wakefield, . . .	Charles A. Dean, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Wakefield.
22	Melrose, . . .	Andrew J. Burnett, <i>R.</i> , . .	Melrose.
23	Malden, . . .	{ Frank A. Bayrd, <i>R.</i> , . . . Charles L. Davenport, <i>R.</i> , . . Charles E. Dennett, <i>R.</i> , . .	Malden. " "
24	Everett, . . .	{ James Chambers, <i>R.</i> , . . . William E. Weeks, <i>R.</i> , . .	Everett. "
25 {	Somerville, Wards 1, 3, 4, 5, . . .	{ John J. Higgins, <i>R.</i> , . . . Sidney B. Keene, <i>R.</i> , . . . Robert Luce, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Somerville. " "
26 {	Somerville, Wards 2, 6, 7, . . .	{ Charles V. Blanchard, <i>R.</i> , . . William H. Smith, <i>R.</i> , . . . William L. Waugh, <i>R.</i> , . .	Somerville. " "

**COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX — *Concluded.***

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
27 {	Medford, Wds. 3, 6, Winchester, . .	{ Barker B. Howard, <i>R.</i> , .	Medford.
28 {	Medford, Wards 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, . .	{ Charles H. Brown, <i>R.</i> , .	Medford.
29 {	Arlington, . . Lexington, . .	{ Horace D. Hardy, <i>R.</i> , .	Arlington.
30 {	Belmont, . . Watertown, . .	{ Joseph O. Wellington, <i>R.</i> ,	Belmont.
31	Stoneham, . .	James A. Jones, <i>R.</i> , . .	Stoneham.

**COUNTY OF NANTUCKET.**

1	Nantucket, . .	Ellenwood B. Coleman, <i>R.</i> ,	Nantucket.
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**COUNTY OF NORFOLK.**

1 {	Dedham, . . Needham, . .	{ Joseph H. Sollday, <i>R.</i> , .	Dedham.
2	Brookline, . .	{ Joseph Walker, <i>R.</i> , . Norman H. White, <i>R.</i> , .	Brookline. “
3	Hyde Park, . .	Frederick G. Katzmann, <i>R.</i> ,	Hyde Park.
4 {	Canton, . . Milton, . .	{ Edward B. Draper, <i>R.</i> , .	Canton.
5 {	Quincy, Wards 1, 2, 3, . .	{ Eugene C. Hultman, <i>R.</i> , .	Quincy.
6 {	Quincy, Wards 4, 5, 6, . .	{ Edward J. Sandberg, <i>R.</i> , .	Quincy.
7	Weymouth, . .	Russell B. Worster, <i>R.</i> , .	Weymouth.

**COUNTY OF NORFOLK — *Concluded.***

No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
8 {	Avon, . . . Braintree, . . . Holbrook, . . .	} Louis E. Flye, <i>R. I.</i> , . . .	Holbrook.
9 {	Randolph, . . . Sharon, . . . Stoughton, . . .	} Edward J. Fuller, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Sharon.
10 {	Norwood, . . . Walpole, . . . Westwood, . . .	} Fredrick L. Fisher, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Norwood.
11 {	Dover, . . . Medfield, . . . Medway, . . . Millis, . . . Norfolk, . . . Wellesley, . . .	} Fred O. Johnson, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Wellesley.
12 {	Bellingham, . . . Foxborough, . . . Franklin, . . . Plainville, . . . Wrentham, . . .	} Bradley M. Rockwood, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Franklin.

**COUNTY OF PLYMOUTH.**

1	Plymouth, . . .	Alfred S. Burns, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Plymouth.
2 {	Duxbury, . . . Marshfield, . . . Norwell, . . . Pembroke, . . . Scituate, . . .	} Joseph J. Shepherd, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Pembroke.
3 {	Cohasset, . . . Hingham, . . . Hull, . . .	} Harry E. Mapes, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Cohasset.
4 {	Hanover, . . . Hanson, . . . Rockland, . . .	} Melvin S. Nash, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Hanover.

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5 }	Abington, . . . Whitman, . . .	{ E. Alden Dyer, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Whitman.
6 {	Carver, . . . Lakeville, . . . Marion, . . . Mattapoisett, . . . Rochester, . . . Wareham, . . .	{ Robert T. Delano, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Wareham.
7 {	Halifax, . . . Kingston, . . . Middleborough, . . . Plympton, . . .	{ Joseph E. Beals, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Middleboro'.
8 {	Bridgewater, . . . East Bridgewater, . . . W. Bridgewater, . . .	{ Roland M. Keith, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Bridgewater.
9 }	Brockton, Wards 3, 4, . . .	{ Edward Gilmore, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Brockton.
10 }	Brockton, Wards 1, 2, 5, . . .	{ James Sidney Allen, <i>R.</i> , . . . Portus B. Hancock, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Brockton. "
11 }	Brockton, Wards 6, 7, . . .	{ Ezra W. Clark, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Brockton.

**COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.**

1	Boston, Ward 1, .	{ Lewis B. McKie, <i>R.</i> , . . . Joseph J. Murley, <i>D.</i> , . . .	Boston. "
2	Boston, Ward 2, .	{ Michael H. Fitzgerald, <i>D.</i> , . . . John F. Sullivan, <i>D.</i> , . . .	" "
3	Boston, Ward 3, .	{ Michael J. Eagan, <i>D.</i> , . . . Daniel J. McDonald, <i>D.</i> , . . .	" "
4	Boston, Wards 4, 5,	{ Timothy J. Buckley, <i>D.</i> , . . . William F. Murray, Jr., <i>D.</i> , . . . Richard S. Teeling, <i>D.</i> , . . .	" " "

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK — *Continued.*

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5	Chelsea, Wds. 1, 2,	Thomas F. Driscoll, <i>D.</i> , .	Chelsea.
6	Boston, Ward 6, .	{ Thomas J. Grady, <i>D.</i> , . { Philip J. McGonagle, <i>D.</i> , .	Boston. “
7	Boston, Ward 7, .	John Quinn, Jr., <i>D. I.</i> , .	“
8	Boston, Ward 8, .	{ Martin M. Lomasney, <i>D.</i> , . { Robert K. McKirdy, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
9	Boston, Ward 9, .	{ Timothy F. Callahan, <i>D.</i> , . { Daniel L. Sullivan, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
10	Boston, Ward 10,	{ J. Bernard Ferber, <i>R.</i> , . { Malcolm E. Nichols, <i>R.</i> , .	“ “
11	Boston, Ward 11,	{ March G. Bennett, <i>R.</i> , . { Grafton D. Cushing, <i>R.</i> , .	“ “
12	Boston, Ward 12,	{ William E. Chester, <i>R.</i> , . { Charles W. Paradise, <i>R.</i> , .	“ “
13	Boston, Ward 13,	{ William L. V. Newton, <i>D.</i> , . { James F. Powers, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
14	Boston, Ward 14,	{ John J. Driscoll, <i>D.</i> , . { William P. Higgins, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
15	Boston, Ward 15,	{ Patrick H. O'Connor, <i>D.</i> , . { John H. Toland, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
16	Boston, Ward 16,	{ William J. Lyons, <i>D.</i> , . { John M. McDonald, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
17	Boston, Ward 17,	{ James J. Conboy, <i>D.</i> , . { Michael J. McEttrick, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
18	Boston, Ward 18,	{ Daniel J. Curley, Jr., <i>D.</i> , . { Thomas J. Fay, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
19	Boston, Ward 19,	{ Florence J. Driscoll, <i>D.</i> , . { Daniel J. McCarthy, <i>D.</i> , .	“ “
20	Boston, Ward 20,	{ Harry H. Ham, <i>R.</i> , . { William Hoag, <i>R.</i> , . { Charles Addison Malley, <i>R.</i> , .	“ “ “

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21	Boston, Ward 21,	{ Fred E. Bolton, <i>R.</i> , . . Edwin T. McKnight, <i>R.</i> , .	Boston. "
22	Boston, Ward 22,	{ Jacob H. Mock, <i>R.</i> , . . Walter A. Webster, <i>R.</i> , .	" "
23	Boston, Ward 23,	{ John J. Conway, <i>D.</i> , . . A. S. Parker Weeks, <i>R.</i> , .	" "
24	Boston, Ward 24,	{ Gideon B. Abbott, <i>R.</i> , . . Henry S. Clark, <i>R.</i> , . . Samuel H. Mildram, <i>R.</i> , .	" " "
25	Boston, Ward 25,	{ Michael J. Coyle, <i>D.</i> , . . Charles D. B. Fisk, <i>R.</i> , .	" "
26	Chelsea, Wds. 3, 4,	William M. Robinson, <i>R.</i> , .	Chelsea.
27 {	Chelsea, Ward 5, Revere, . . . Winthrop, . . .	{ Deloss M. Bristol, <i>R.</i> , . . Ernest H. Pierce, <i>R.</i> , . .	Winthrop. Revere.

**COUNTY OF WORCESTER.**

1 {	Athol, . . . Dana, . . . Petersham, . . . Phillipston, . . . Royalston, . . .	{ James Oliver, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Athol.
2 {	Ashburnham, . . . Gardner, . . . Templeton, . . . Winchendon, . . .	{ Atherton D. Converse, <i>R.</i> , . . William F. Learned, <i>R.</i> , . .	Winchendon. Gardner.
3 {	Barre, . . . Holden, . . . Hubbardston, . . . Oakham, . . . Princeton, . . . Rutland, . . . Sterling, . . . Westminster, . . .	{ Alvin F. Bailey, <i>R.</i> , . . .	Barre.



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No. of District.	District.	Name of Representative.	Residence.
4 {	Brookfield, . . Hardwick, . . New Braintree, . North Brookfield, Warren, . . West Brookfield, .	{ Charles B. Blair, <i>R.</i> , . .	Warren.
5 {	Charlton, . . Southbridge, . . Sturbridge, . .	{ Alexis Boyer, Jr., <i>D.</i> , . .	Southbridge.
6 {	Auburn, . . Leicester, . . Paxton, . . Spencer, . .	{ Frank Collette, Jr., <i>R.</i> , . .	Spencer.
7 {	Dudley, . . Oxford, . . Webster, . .	{ William F. Haggerty, <i>D.</i> , . .	Webster.
8 {	Blackstone, . . Douglas, . . Grafton, . . Millbury, . . Shrewsbury, . . Sutton, . . Uxbridge, . .	{ Hiram W. Loring, <i>R.</i> , . . Henry F. Rice, <i>R.</i> , . .	Shrewsbury. Sutton.
9 {	Hopedale, . . Mendon, . . Milford, . . Northbridge, . . Upton, . .	{ George F. Birch, <i>R.</i> , . . Leonard T. Gaskill, <i>R.</i> , . .	Milford. Mendon.
10 {	Berlin, . . Bolton, . . Boylston, . . Clinton, . . Northborough, . . Southborough, . . West Boylston, . . Westborough, . .	{ Charles Mayberry, <i>R.</i> , . . William J. Potter, <i>R.</i> , . .	Clinton. Northborough.
11 {	Fitchburg, Ward 6, Harvard, . . Lancaster, . . Leominster, . . Lunenburg, . .	{ Clesson Kenney, <i>R.</i> , . . David C. Nickerson, <i>R.</i> , . .	Leominster. "

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12 {	Fitchburg, Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, .	{ M. Frederick O'Connell, <i>D.</i> , Henry O. Sawyer, <i>R.</i> , .	Fitchburg. "
13	Worcester, Wd. 1,	Daniel E. Denny, <i>R.</i> , . .	Worcester.
14	Worcester, Wd. 2,	Alonzo F. Hoyle, <i>R.</i> , . .	"
15	Worcester, Wd. 3,	Edward H. O'Brien, <i>D.</i> , .	"
16	Worcester, Wd. 4,	John F. McGrath, <i>D.</i> , .	"
17	Worcester, Wd. 5,	Hugh H. O'Rourke, <i>D.</i> , .	"
18	Worcester, Wd. 6,	Francis O. Dahlquist, <i>R.</i> , .	"
19	Worcester, Wd. 7,	Lucian B. Stone, <i>R.</i> , . .	"
20	Worcester, Wd. 8,	John H. Pickford, <i>R.</i> , .	"
21	Worcester, Wd. 9,	Henry E. Dean, <i>R.</i> , . .	"
22	Worcester, Wd. 10,	Elmer C. Potter, <i>R.</i> , . .	"

# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, ALPHABETICALLY.

WITH THE DISTRICTS REPRESENTED, PLACES OF RESIDENCE, AND PLACES OF ADDRESS  
DURING THE SESSION.

HON. JOHN N. COLE, *Speaker.*

NAME.	District.	Post Office Address.	Residence during the Session.	No. of Seat.
Abbott, Gideon B., . . .	24, Suffolk, .	17 Beaumont Street, Dorchester.	At home, . . .	191
Allen, James Sidney, . .	10, Plymouth, .	Brockton, . . .	At home, . . .	25
Andrew, Manuel, . . .	1, Middlesex, .	East Cambridge, . .	At home, . . .	152
Bailey, Alvin F., . . .	3, Worcester, .	Barre, . . .	Commonwealth Hotel.	176
Baker, Lorenzo D., Jr., .	3, Barnstable, .	33 Broad Street, Boston,	Parker House, . .	60
Barker, Arthur W., . . .	13, Essex, . .	Lynn, . . .	At home, . . .	31
Bayrd, Frank A., . . .	23, Middlesex, .	Malden, . . .	At home, . . .	86

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Beals, Joseph E.,	7, Plymouth,	Middleborough,	At home,	209
Bennett, John C.,	4, Hampden,	Springfield,	Adams House,	78
Bennett, March G.,	11, Suffolk,	74 Pinckney Street, Boston.	At home,	62
Beunke, Fred L.,	2, Middlesex,	Cambridge,	At home,	235
Birch, George F.,	9, Worcester,	Milford,	At home,	122
Bishop, Elias B.,	4, Middlesex,	54 Devonshire Street, Boston.	Newton Center,	143
Blair, Charles B.,	4, Worcester,	Warren,	Adams House,	64
Blanchard, Charles V.,	26, Middlesex,	West Somerville,	At home,	20
Blodgett, George H.,	8, Berkshire,	Ashley Falls,	Adams House,	229
Bodwell, G. Arthur,	19, Essex,	Salem,	At home,	200
Boivin, Charles E.,	11, Bristol,	Fall River,	At home,	163
Bolton, Fred E.,	21, Suffolk,	14 Howland Street, Roxbury.	At home,	76
Boyer, Alexis, Jr.,	5, Worcester,	Southbridge,	At home,	234

Brigham, William M.,	9, Middlesex,	Marlborough,	At home,	129
Bristol, Deloss M.,	27, Suffolk,	Winthrop,	At home,	149
Brown, Charles H.,	28, Middlesex,	Medford,	At home,	204
Bryan, James H.,	12, Hampden,	Westfield,	Adams House,	118
Buckley, Timothy J.,	4, Suffolk,	7 Lawrence Street, Charlestown.	At home,	162
Bunting, George,	5, Essex,	Methuen,	At home,	182
Burnett, Andrew J.,	22, Middlesex,	Melrose,	At home,	104
Burns, Alfred S.,	1, Plymouth,	Plymouth,	At home,	14
Cahoon, Clenric H.,	2, Barnstable,	Harwich,	Adams House,	145
Callahan, Timothy F.,	9, Suffolk,	9 Gloucester Place, Bos- ton.	At home,	52
Carbrey, James B.,	11, Essex,	Peabody,	At home,	55
Chambers, James,	24, Middlesex,	Everett,	At home,	195
Chester, William E.,	12, Suffolk,	82 Montgomery Street, Boston.	At home,	54
Clark, Ezra W.,	11, Plymouth,	Brockton,	At home,	113

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Clark, Henry S.,	Suffolk, .	11 Montague Street, Dorchester.	At home, . . .	176
Coffin, Samuel F	Essex, .	West Newbury, .	At home, . . .	150
Cole, John N.,	Essex, .	Andover, . . .	At home, . . .	Spk'r.
Coleman, Ellenw	Nantucket, .	Nantucket, . . .	49 Copeland Street, Roxbury.	188
Collette, Frank, .	Worcester, .	Worcester, . . .	At home, . . .	110
Conboy, James J	Suffolk, .	31 Woodward Avenue, Boston.	At home, . . .	67
Conley, Martin F	Middlesex, .	Lowell, . . .	At home, . . .	201
Converse, Athert	Worcester, .	Winchendon, . . .	At home, . . .	107
Conway, John J.	Suffolk, .	4 Spring Street, West Roxbury.	At home, . . .	66
Cook, John F.,	Essex, .	Haverhill, . . .	At home, . . .	194
Cook, William F	Hampden, .	Milfaineague, . . .	Adams House, .	75
Cook, William H	Bristol, .	Fall River, . . .	At home, . . .	94
Coolidge, Calvin,	Hampshire, .	Northampton, . .	Adams House, .	59

Coombs, Frank O.,	1, Bristol,	North Attleborough,	At home,	198
Coyle, Michael J.,	25, Suffolk,	60 Parsons Street, Brighton.	At home,	215
Curley, Daniel J., Jr.,	18, Suffolk,	8 Linden Park Street, Roxbury Crossing.	At home,	189
Cushing, Grafton D.	11, Suffolk,	Barristers Hall, Pemberton Square, Boston.	168 Beacon Street, Boston.	112
Dahlquist, Francis O.,	18, Worcester,	Worcester,	At home,	22
Dalton, Ernest,	8, Hampden,	Chicopee,	Adams House,	85
Davenport, Charles L.,	23, Middlesex,	186 State Street, Boston,	Malden,	18
Davis, Thomas L.,	17, Essex,	Salem,	At home,	217
Dean, Charles A.,	21, Middlesex,	Wakefield,	At home,	173
Dean, Henry E.,	21, Worcester,	Worcester,	At home,	91
Dean, William M.,	4, Bristol,	Taunton,	At home,	142
Delano, Robert T.,	6, Plymouth,	Wareham,	At home,	109
Dennett, Charles E.,	23, Middlesex,	Malden,	At home,	87
Denny, Daniel E.,	13, Worcester,	Worcester,	At home,	50
Dillon, Thomas J.,	11, Hampden,	Holyoke,	Hotel Bellevue,	183

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Dorman, William E., .	12, Essex, .	Lynn, . . . . .	At home, . . . . .	15
Doyle, Andrew P., .	8, Bristol, .	New Bedford, . . . . .	At home, . . . . .	238
Draper, Edward B., .	4, Norfolk, .	15 State Street, Boston, .	Canton, . . . . .	126
Driscoll, Florence J., .	19, Suffolk, .	285 Dudley Street, Boston.	At home, . . . . .	224
Driscoll, John J., .	14, Suffolk, .	506 Third Street, South Boston.	At home, . . . . .	220
Driscoll, Thomas F., .	5, Suffolk, .	Chelsea, . . . . .	At home, . . . . .	157
Drysdale, Hugh P., .	1, Berkshire, .	North Adams, . . . . .	Adams House, . . . . .	164
Duane, Patrick J., .	5, Middlesex, .	Waltham, . . . . .	At home, . . . . .	225
Dyer, E. Alden, .	5, Plymouth, .	Whitman, . . . . .	At home, . . . . .	211
Eagan, Michael J., .	3, Suffolk, .	11 Cross Street, Charles-town.	At home, . . . . .	124
Elmer, Charles F., .	1, Franklin, .	Conway, . . . . .	Adams House, . . . . .	231
Elmore, Samuel D., .	3, Middlesex, .	Cambridge, . . . . .	At home, . . . . .	36
Ewing, Oscar H., .	24, Essex, .	Ipswich, . . . . .	At home, . . . . .	132



Farley, Dennis E., . . .	4, Franklin, . . .	Farley, . . .	33 Northern Avenue, Dorchester.	24
Fay, Thomas J., . . .	18, Suffolk, . . .	5 Auburn Street, Rox- bury.	At home, . . .	202
Fennelly, Francis J., . . .	10, Bristol, . . .	Fall River, . . .	At home, . . .	133
Ferber, J. Bernard, . . .	10, Suffolk, . . .	18 Tremont Street, Bos- ton.	46 St. Stephen Street, Boston.	47
Fisher, Frederick L., . . .	10, Norfolk, . . .	Norwood, . . .	At home, . . .	170
Fisk, Charles D. B., . . .	25, Suffolk, . . .	10 Sparhawk Street, Brighton.	At home, . . .	166
Fitzgerald, Michael H., . . .	2, Suffolk, . . .	52 Meridian Street, East Boston.	231 Maverick Street, East Boston.	134
Flye, Louis E., . . .	8, Norfolk, . . .	Holbrook, . . .	At home, . . .	147
Fogg, Clarence J., . . .	25, Essex, . . .	Newburyport, . . .	At home, . . .	111
Forristall, Herbert M., . . .	15, Essex, . . .	Cliftondale, . . .	At home, . . .	233
Fuller, Edward J., . . .	9, Norfolk, . . .	Canton, . . .	Sharon, . . .	23
Garcelon, William F., . . .	4, Middlesex, . . .	405 Sears Building, Bos- ton.	Newton, . . .	45
Gaskill, Leonard T., . . .	9, Worcester, . . .	Mendon, . . .	At home, . . .	138
Gauthier, Joseph A., . . .	7, Bristol, . . .	New Bedford, . . .	At home, . . .	228
Giles, George A., . . .	2, Middlesex, . . .	Cambridge, . . .	At home, . . .	74

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Johnson, Charles Cabot, .	14, Essex, .	Nahant, .	At home, .	34
Johnson, Fred O., .	11, Norfolk, .	Wellesley, .	At home, .	40
Jones, James A., .	31, Middlesex, .	Stoneham, .	At home, .	90
Katzmann, Frederick G., .	3, Norfolk, .	Hyde Park, .	At home, .	169
Keefe, David P., .	11, Bristol, .	Fall River, .	At home, .	95
Keene, Sidney B., .	25, Middlesex, .	Somerville, .	At home, .	199
Keith, Roland M., .	8, Plymouth, .	Bridgewater, .	At home, .	230
Kelleher, William A., .	6, Essex, .	Lawrence, .	At home, .	165
Kemp, Frank D., .	5, Hampden, .	Springfield, .	Commonwealth Hotel.	174
Kenney, Clesson, .	11, Worcester, .	Leominster, .	At home, .	58
Kenney, Michael J., .	3, Bristol, .	Taunton, .	At home, .	185
Kiely, Philip A., .	15, Essex, .	Lynn, .	At home, .	219
Lamoureux, S. John, .	2, Berkshire, .	North Adams, .	Adams House, .	68

Learned, William F., .	2, Worcester, .	Gardner, . . .	At home, . .	102
Leining, Adam, . .	10, Hampden, .	Holyoke, . . .	Commonwealth Hotel.	207
Leonard, Edwin F., .	3, Hampden, .	Springfield, .	Adams House, .	153
Lewis, John B., Jr., .	20, Middlesex, .	Reading, . . .	At home, . .	46
Linscott, Andrew R., .	20, Middlesex, .	North Woburn, .	At home, . .	226
Lomasney, Martin M., .	8, Suffolk, .	2 A Lowell Street, Bos- ton.	27 McLean Street, Boston.	128
Long, George W., . .	3, Middlesex, .	North Cambridge, .	At home, . .	35
Loring, Hiram W., . .	8, Worcester, .	Shrewsbury, . .	At home, . .	216
Lothrop, John F., . .	4, Middlesex, .	Newtonville, . .	At home, . .	9
Luce, Robert, . . .	25, Middlesex, .	Somerville, . . .	At home, . .	3
Lyman, Darwin E., . .	2, Hampshire, .	Cummington, . .	Adams House, .	88
Lyons, William J., . .	16, Suffolk, .	21 Dacia Street, Boston, .	At home, . .	187
Macomber, Charles H., .	5, Bristol, .	Berkley, . . . .	At home, . .	63
Malley, Charles A., . .	20, Suffolk, .	64 Glenway Street, Dor- chester.	At home, . .	121
Mapes, Harry E., . .	3, Plymouth, .	Cohasset, . . .	At home, . .	125

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Marcy, John H., . . .	5, Middlesex, .	Waltham, . . .	At home, . . .	186
Mayberry, Charles, . . .	10, Worcester, .	Clinton, . . .	At home, . . .	84
Mayhew, Ulysses E., . . .	1, Dukes, .	West Tisbury, . . .	Adams House, . . .	141
McCann, Matthew, . . .	14, Essex, .	Lynn, . . .	At home, . . .	21
McCarthy, Daniel J., . . .	19, Suffolk, .	1521 Tremont Street, Roxbury.	At home, . . .	117
McDonald, Daniel J., . . .	3, Suffolk, .	82 Water Street, Boston,	28 Marion Street, Charlestown.	155
McDonald, John M., . . .	16, Suffolk, .	787 Columbia Road, Boston.	At home, . . .	167
McEttrick, Michael J., . . .	17, Suffolk, .	98 Moreland Street, Boston.	At home, . . .	56
McGonagle, Philip J., . . .	6, Suffolk, .	44 Cooper Street, Boston,	At home, . . .	178
McGrath, John F., . . .	16, Worcester, .	Worcester, . . .	At home, . . .	131
McKenney, John H., . . .	13, Essex, .	Lynn, . . .	At home, . . .	28
McKie, Lewis B., . . .	1, Suffolk, .	204 Trenton Street, East Boston.	At home, . . .	27
McKirdy, Robert K., . . .	8, Suffolk, .	68 Causeway Street, Boston.	64 Allen Street, Boston.	160



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Nickerson, David C., .	11, Worcester, .	Leominster, . . .	At home, . . .	218
O'Brien, Edward H., .	15, Worcester, .	Worcester, . . .	At home, . . .	97
O'Connell, M. Frederick, .	12, Worcester, .	Fitchburg, . . .	At home, . . .	108
O'Connor, Patrick H., .	15, Suffolk, .	14 Frederick Street, South Boston.	At home, . . .	168
Oliver, James, . . .	1, Worcester, .	Athol, . . .	Adams House, .	158
O'Rourke, Hugh H., .	17, Worcester, .	Worcester, . . .	At home, . . .	130
Paradise, Charles W., .	12, Suffolk, .	135 West Concord Street, Boston.	At home, . . .	136
Parker, Ralph T., .	23, Essex, .	Rockport, . . .	At home, . . .	206
Parks, Joseph A., .	10, Bristol, .	Fall River, . . .	At home, . . .	93
Parmenter, Albion F., .	13, Middlesex, .	Wayland, . . .	At home, . . .	210
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 DORMAN . . . of Lynn.  
 PARADISE . . . of Boston.  
 HAM . . . of Boston.  
 SULLIVAN, J. F. . . of Boston.  
 DILLON . . . of Holyoke.

ON PRISONS.

*Of the Senate.* — Messrs. DONOVAN . . . of Essex.  
 STEVENS . . . of Middlesex.  
 MAHONEY . . . of Hampden.  
*Of the House.* — Messrs. WINCH . . . of Framingham.  
 JONES\* . . . of Stoneham.  
 DELANO . . . of Wareham.  
 DEAN . . . of Worcester.  
 MORSE . . . of Haverhill.  
 LEARNED . . . of Gardner.  
 FENNELLY . . . of Fall River.  
 LYONS . . . of Boston.

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ON PUBLIC CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

- Of the Senate.* — Messrs. CHACE . . . . of Bristol.  
                                     GARFIELD . . . . of Plymouth.  
                                     GALLOND of Franklin and Hampshire.
- Of the House.* — Messrs. DYER . . . . of Whitman.  
                                     STODDART . . . . of Gloucester.  
                                     MUEHLIG . . . . of Lawrence.  
                                     BEUNKE \* . . . . of Cambridge.  
                                     PICKFORD . . . . of Worcester.  
                                     HANCOCK . . . . of Brockton.  
                                     FAY . . . . . of Boston.  
                                     BOYER . . . . . of Southbridge.

ON PUBLIC HEALTH.

- Of the Senate.* — Messrs. WHEATLEY . . . . of Plymouth.  
                                     BULLOCK . . . . of Bristol.  
                                     McMANMON . . . . of Middlesex.
- Of the House.* — Messrs. GRISWOLD . . . . of Greenfield.  
                                     ROCKWOOD . . . . of Franklin.  
                                     BIRCH . . . . . of Milford.  
                                     DALTON . . . . . of Chicopee.  
                                     MEYERS . . . . . of Cambridge.  
                                     OLIVER . . . . . of Athol.  
                                     COYLE \* . . . . of Boston.  
                                     CONLEY . . . . . of Lowell.

ON PUBLIC LIGHTING.

- Of the Senate.* — Messrs. JOHNSON . . . . of Worcester.  
                                     WHEATLEY . . . . of Plymouth.  
                                     FAXON . . . . . of Norfolk.  
                                     CASSIDY . . . . . of Berkshire.
- Of the House.* — Messrs. PATTISON . . . . of Barnstable.  
                                     BLANCHARD \* . . . of Somerville.  
                                     BODWELL . . . . . of Salem.  
                                     POTTER . . . . . of Northborough.  
                                     FLYE . . . . . of Holbrook.

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*Of the House.* — Messrs. BLAIR . . of Warren.  
 TRULL . . of Hudson.  
 McKIE . . of Boston.  
 RICE . . of Sutton.  
 MURRAY . . of Boston.  
 BENNETT . . of Springfield.

#### ON PUBLIC SERVICE.

*Of the Senate.* — Messrs. SCHUSTER . . of Worcester.  
 WILLIAMS . . of Bristol.  
 CASSIDY . . of Berkshire.  
*Of the House.* — Messrs. CLARK . . of Brockton.  
 SMITH . . of Somerville.  
 McCANN . . of Lynn.  
 POLLOCK . . of Salem.  
 DAHLQUIST . . of Worcester.  
 DUANE . . of Waltham.  
 MEEHAN . . of Lowell.  
 NEWTON\* . . of Boston.

#### ON RAILROADS.

*Of the Senate.* — Messrs. FAXON . . of Norfolk.  
 FEIKER of Berkshire, Hampshire and  
 Hampden.  
 MORSE . . of Essex.  
 MAHONEY . . of Hampden.  
*Of the House.* — Messrs. VITTUM . . of Beverly.  
 COOK . . of Fall River.  
 BAYRD . . of Malden.  
 LAMOUREUX\* of North Adams.  
 FARLEY. . . of Erving.  
 VARNUM . . of Lowell.  
 SPAULDING. . of Pepperell.  
 FULLER . . of Sharon.  
 COOMBS. . . of North Attleborough.  
 BRYAN . . of Westfield.  
 McKIRDY . . of Boston.

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ON ROADS AND BRIDGES.

- Of the Senate.* — Messrs. MORSE . . . of Essex.  
                                   BROMBERG . . . of Suffolk.  
                                   CLARKE . . . of Suffolk.
- Of the House.* — Messrs. PORTER . . . of Amesbury.  
                                   WIER . . . of Lowell.  
                                   NASON\*. . . of Haverhill.  
                                   COOK . . . of West Springfield.  
                                   RUSSELL . . . of Pittsfield.  
                                   ROBINSON . . . of Mansfield.  
                                   ELMER . . . of Conway.  
                                   GILMORE . . . of Brockton.

ON STATE HOUSE.

- Of the Senate.* — Messrs. BROMBERG . . . of Suffolk.  
                                   TAFT . . . of Worcester.  
                                   CURLEY . . . of Suffolk.
- Of the House.* — Messrs. WRIGHT . . . of South Hadley.  
                                   PUTNAM . . . of Danvers.  
                                   CHESTER . . . of Boston.  
                                   LYMAN . . . of Cummington.  
                                   COLLETTE . . . of Spencer.  
                                   LEONARD\* . . . of Springfield.  
                                   DRISCOLL, J. J. of Boston.  
                                   MCGONAGLE . . . of Boston.

ON STREET RAILWAYS.

- Of the Senate.* — Messrs. GRIMES . . . of Middlesex.  
                                   CHACE . . . of Bristol.  
                                   WILLIAMS . . . of Bristol.  
                                   MACLEOD . . . of Middlesex.
- Of the House.* — Messrs. SOLIDAY . . . of Dedham.  
                                   SAWYER . . . of Fitchburg.  
                                   ABBOTT . . . of Boston.  
                                   MEYERS . . . of Cambridge.

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*Of the House.* — Messrs. MCKNIGHT . . . of Boston.  
 HARDY \* . . . of Arlington.  
 STONE . . . of Worcester.  
 WESTALL . . . of Lowell.  
 DRAPER . . . of Canton.  
 FENNELLY . . . of Fall River.  
 CARBREY . . . of Peabody.

**ON TAXATION.**

*Of the Senate.* — Messrs. COX . . . of Suffolk.  
 GARFIELD . . . of Plymouth.  
 CHACE . . . of Bristol.  
 MACLEOD . . . of Middlesex.

*Of the House.* — Messrs. DAVENPORT . . . of Malden.  
 BARKER . . . of Lynn.  
 BIRCH . . . of Milford.  
 FOGG . . . of Newburyport.  
 MOCK . . . of Boston.  
 MILDRAH . . . of Boston.  
 CONVERSE . . . of Winchendon.  
 FISHER \* . . . of Norwood.  
 BUNTING . . . of Methuen.  
 FORRISTALL . . . of Saugus.  
 HIGGINS . . . of Fall River.

**ON TOWNS.**

*Of the Senate.* — Messrs. HALL . . . of Suffolk.  
 PROUTY of Worcester and Hampden.  
 VAHEY . . . of Middlesex.

*Of the House.* — Messrs. KENNEY . . . of Leominster.  
 LYMAN . . . of Cummington.  
 BEALS . . . of Middleborough.  
 HOLMAN . . . of Attleborough.  
 WOOD \* . . . of Hopkinton.  
 BLODGETT . . . of Sheffield.  
 EWING . . . of Ipswich.  
 HAGGERTY . . . of Webster.



**ON WATER SUPPLY.**

<i>Of the Senate.</i> —		Messrs. GARFIELD . . .	of Plymouth.
		FAXON . . . .	of Norfolk.
		MITCHELL . . .	of Middlesex.
<i>Of the House.</i> —		Messrs. HULTMAN . . .	of Quincy.
		PARADISE . . .	of Boston.
		PORTER . . . .	of Amesbury.
		ROCKWOOD . . .	of Franklin.
		KEENE * . . . .	of Somerville.
		LEINING . . . .	of Holyoke.
		DILLON . . . .	of Holyoke.
		O'ROURKE . . .	of Worcester.

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**List of Members of the Senate, with Committees  
of which Each is a Member.**

NAME.	COMMITTEES.
Bromberg, Edward J., .	Metropolitan Affairs, Roads and Bridges, State House ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Bullock, William J., .	Rules, Cities ( <i>chairman</i> ), Fisheries and Game, Public Health.
Buttrick, Allan G., . .	Insurance ( <i>chairman</i> ), Legal Affairs ( <i>chairman</i> ), the Liquor Law.
Cassidy, Thomas F., . .	Constitutional Amendments, Public Lighting, Public Service.
Chace, Frank M., . . .	Banks and Banking, Public Charitable Institutions ( <i>chairman</i> ), Street Railways, Taxation.
Chapple, William D., .	[ <i>President</i> ], Rules ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Clarke, William W., .	Ways and Means, Libraries, Roads and Bridges.
Cox, Guy W., . . . .	Education, Metropolitan Affairs ( <i>chairman</i> ), Military Affairs, Taxation ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Curley, Thomas F., . .	Engrossed Bills, Election Laws, State House.
Dean, Charles L., . . .	Ways and Means, Banks and Banking ( <i>chairman</i> ), Printing ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Dixon, Edward W., . .	Cities, Fisheries and Game.
Donovan, Joseph, . . .	Judiciary, Libraries, Prisons ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Faxon, William O., . .	Public Lighting, Railroads ( <i>chairman</i> ), Water Supply.

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NAME.	COMMITTEES.
Feiker, William H., . .	Bills in the Third Reading ( <i>chairman</i> ), Federal Relations, Harbors and Public Lands ( <i>chairman</i> ), Railroads.
Gallond, George J., . .	Engrossed Bills, Agriculture, Labor ( <i>chairman</i> ), Public Charitable Institutions.
Garfield, George H., . .	Rules, Public Charitable Institutions, Taxation, Water Supply ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Grimes, James W., . .	Legal Affairs, Printing, Street Railways ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Hall, Alfred S., . . .	Counties, Fisheries and Game ( <i>chairman</i> ), Metropolitan Affairs, Towns ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Hayes, William P., . .	Bills in the Third Reading, Insurance, Legal Affairs.
Jenney, Charles F., . .	Judiciary, Constitutional Amendments ( <i>chairman</i> ), the Liquor Law ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Johnson, J. Lovell, . .	Banks and Banking, Cities, Public Lighting ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Keith, Eben S. S., . .	Ways and Means, Counties ( <i>chairman</i> ), Election Laws.
Leavitt, Thomas, . . .	Bills in the Third Reading, Harbors and Public Lands, Mercantile Affairs ( <i>chairman</i> ), Printing.
Linehan, Frank J., . .	Drainage, Mercantile Affairs.
Macleod, Frederick J., .	Military Affairs, Street Railways, Taxation.
Mahoney, Daniel D., . .	Labor, Prisons, Railroads.
McManmon, John J., . .	Agriculture, Public Health.
Mellen, James J., . . .	Rules, the Liquor Law, Metropolitan Affairs.
Mitchell, John J., . . .	Federal Relations, Parishes and Religious Societies, Water Supply.
Morse, Harry P., . . .	Cities, Railroads, Roads and Bridges ( <i>chairman</i> ).

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NAME.	COMMITTEES.
Prouty, Charles N., . . .	Agriculture ( <i>chairman</i> ), Mercan- tile Affairs, Parishes and Reli- gious Societies ( <i>chairman</i> ), Towns.
Riley, Herbert S., . . .	Judiciary, Education ( <i>chairman</i> ), Insurance, Libraries ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Salter, William R., . . .	Drainage ( <i>chairman</i> ), Harbors and Public Lands, Mercantile Affairs.
Schuster, Winfield S., . . .	Drainage, Harbors and Public Lands, Insurance, Public Service ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Shaw, James F., . . .	Ways and Means, Rules, Military Affairs ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Stevens, Elmer A., . . .	Ways and Means ( <i>chairman</i> ), Con- stitutional Amendments, Parishes and Religious Societies, Prisons.
Taft, Arthur M., . . .	Judiciary ( <i>chairman</i> ), Federal Re- lations ( <i>chairman</i> ), Labor, State House.
Vahey, James H., . . .	Judiciary, Education, Towns.
Wheatley, Frank G., . . .	Counties, Public Health ( <i>chair- man</i> ), Public Lighting
Williams, Thomas W., . . .	Engrossed Bills ( <i>chairman</i> ), Elec- tion Laws ( <i>chairman</i> ), Public Service, Street Railways.

**List of Members of the House of Representatives,  
with Committees of which Each  
is a Member.**

<b>A</b>	
<b>NAME.</b>	<b>COMMITTEES.</b>
Abbott, Gideon B., . . .	Street Railways.
Allen, James Sidney, . .	Election Laws, Liquor Law ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Andrew, Manuel, . . .	Metropolitan Affairs.
<b>B</b>	
Bailey, Alvin F., . . .	Pay-Roll, Education ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Baker, Lorenzo D., Jr., .	Harbors and Public Lands.
Barker, Arthur W., . . .	Libraries ( <i>chairman</i> ), Taxation.
Bayrd, Frank A., . . .	Printing ( <i>clerk</i> ), Railroads.
Beals, Joseph E., . . .	Liquor Law, Towns.
Bennett, John C., . . .	Public Lighting.
Bennett, March G., . . .	— — —
Beunke, Fred L., . . .	Election Laws, Public Charitable Institutions ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Birch, George F., . . .	Public Health, Taxation.
Bishop, Elias B., . . .	Judiciary.
Blair, Charles B., . . .	Public Lighting.
Blanchard, Charles V., .	Rules ( <i>clerk</i> ), Public Lighting ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Blodgett, George H., . .	Towns.
Bodwell, G. Arthur, . .	Federal Relations, Public Lighting.
Boivin, Charles E., . . .	Education, Parishes and Religious Societies.

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NAME.	COMMITTEES.
Bolton, Fred E., . . .	Federal Relations ( <i>chairman</i> ), Metropolitan Affairs.
Boyer, Alexis, Jr., . . .	Public Charitable Institutions.
Brigham, William M., . . .	Cities ( <i>chairman</i> ), Constitutional Amendments.
Bristol, Deloss M., . . .	Labor, Libraries.
Brown, Charles H., . . .	Banks and Banking.
Bryan, James H., . . .	Railroads.
Buckley, Timothy J., . . .	Harbors and Public Lands.
Bunting, George, . . .	Taxation.
Burnett, Andrew J., . . .	Counties ( <i>clerk</i> ), Liquor Law.
Burns, Alfred S., . . .	Harbors and Public Lands ( <i>clerk</i> ).

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Cahoon, Clenric H., . . .	Legal Affairs.
Callahan, Timothy F., . . .	Election Laws.
Carbrey, James B., . . .	Street Railways.
Chambers, James, . . .	Constitutional Amendments ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Chester, William E., . . .	Liquor Law, State House.
Clark, Ezra W., . . .	Constitutional Amendments, Public Service ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Clark, Henry S., . . .	Cities.
Coffin, Samuel F., . . .	Agriculture, Parishes and Reli- gious Societies.
Cole, John N., . . .	[ <i>Speaker.</i> ]
Coleman, Ellenwood B., . . .	Election Laws ( <i>clerk</i> ), Fisheries and Game.
Collette, Frank, Jr., . . .	Drainage, State House.
Conboy, James J., . . .	Parishes and Religious Societies.
Conley, Martin F., . . .	Drainage, Public Health.
Converse, Atherton D., . . .	Taxation.
Conway, John J., . . .	Ways and Means.
Cook, John F., . . .	Libraries, Military Affairs.
Cook, William F., . . .	Roads and Bridges.
Cook, William H., . . .	Pay-Roll ( <i>chairman</i> ), Railroads.

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NAME.	COMMITTEES.
Coolidge, Calvin, . . .	Constitutional Amendments, Mercantile Affairs.
Coombs, Frank O., . . .	Railroads.
Coyle, Michael J., . . .	Public Health ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Curley, Daniel J., Jr., . .	Drainage.
Cushing, Grafton D., . .	Ways and Means, Education ( <i>chairman</i> ).

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Dahlquist, Francis O., . .	Public Service.
Dalton, Ernest, . . .	Public Health.
Davenport, Charles L., . .	Metropolitan Affairs, Taxation ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Davis, Thomas L., . . .	Mercantile Affairs ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Dean, Charles A., . . .	Rules, Insurance.
Dean, Henry E., . . .	Fisheries and Game, Prisons.
Dean, William M., . . .	Ways and Means, Elections ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Delano, Robert T., . . .	Labor, Prisons.
Dennett, Charles E., . . .	Mercantile Affairs.
Denny, Daniel E., . . .	Cities, Military Affairs ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Dillon, Thomas J., . . .	Printing, Water Supply.
Dorman, William E., . . .	Election Laws, Printing.
Doyle, Andrew P., . . .	Insurance.
Draper, Edward B., . . .	Street Railways.
Driscoll, Florence J., . .	Libraries.
Driscoll, John J., . . .	State House.
Driscoll, Thomas F., . . .	Metropolitan Affairs.
Drysdale, Hugh P., . . .	Judiciary ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Duane, Patrick J., . . .	Constitutional Amendments, Public Service.
Dyer, E. Alden, . . .	Public Charitable Institutions ( <i>chairman</i> ).

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E		COMMITTEES.
NAME.		
Eagan, Michael J., . .		Drainage.
Elmer, Charles F., . .		Fisheries and Game ( <i>clerk</i> ), Roads and Bridges.
Elmore, Samuel D., . .		Judiciary.
Ewing, Oscar H., . . .		Towns.

F		
Farley, Dennis E., . .		Railroads.
Fay, Thomas J., . . .		Public Charitable Institutions.
Fennelly, Francis J., .		Prisons, Street Railways.
Ferber, J. Bernard, . .		Harbors and Public Lands, Insur- ance ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Fisher, Frederick L., .		Taxation ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Fisk, Charles D. B., . .		Mercantile Affairs.
Fitzgerald, Michael H.,		Election Laws.
Flye, Louis E., . . . .		Public Lighting.
Fogg, Clarence J., . . .		Counties ( <i>chairman</i> ), Taxation.
Forristall, Herbert M.,		Taxation.
Fuller, Edward J., . . .		Railroads.

G		
Garcelon, William F., .		Ways and Means ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Gaskill, Leonard T., . .		Agriculture, Labor.
Gauthier, Joseph A., .		Judiciary.
Giles, George A., . . .		Ways and Means.
Gilmore, Edward, . . .		Roads and Bridges.
Goodwin, Frank W., . .		Fisheries and Game ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Grady, Thomas J., . . .		Constitutional Amendments, Fed- eral Relations.
Graham, William J., . .		Cities.
Grant, Albert F., . . .		Cities, Printing.
Green, George D., . . .		Banks and Banking.
Griswold, Lyman W., . .		Fisheries and Game, Public Health ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Gunn, James A., . . . .		Banks and Banking.



NAME.	H	COMMITTEES.
Haggerty, William F., . . .		Bills in the Third Reading, Towns.
Hall, Martin T., . . .		Federal Relations.
Ham, Harry H., . . .		Bills in the Third Reading, Printing.
Hancock, Portus B., . . .		Military Affairs, Public Charitable Institutions.
Hardy, Horace D., . . .		Constitutional Amendments, Street Railways ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Hayes, William H. I., . . .		Rules, Banks and Banking ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Healy, Andrew F., . . .		Elections, Counties.
Higgins, John J., . . .		Judiciary, Constitutional Amendments ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Higgins, Thomas F., . . .		Taxation.
Higgins, William P., . . .		Legal Affairs.
Hoag, William, . . .		Legal Affairs.
Hobson, Ernest E., . . .		Judiciary.
Hodskins, Frank G., . . .		Engrossed Bills, Legal Affairs ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Hogan, William M., . . .		Liquor Law ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Holman, Samuel M., . . .		Elections, Towns.
Holt, Charles T., . . .		Harbors and Public Lands, Parishes and Religious Societies ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Howard, Barker B., . . .		Metropolitan Affairs.
Hoyle, Alonzo F., . . .		Counties, Drainage ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Hultman, Eugene C., . . .		Water Supply ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Hyde, George S. J., . . .		Education.

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Johnson, Charles Cabot, . . .	Banks and Banking.
Johnson, Fred O., . . .	Labor.
Jones, James A., . . .	Federal Relations, Prisons ( <i>clerk</i> ).

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NAME.	COMMITTEES.
Katzmann, Frederick G.,	Legal Affairs.
Keefe, David P., . . .	Elections, Parishes and Religious Societies ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Keene, Sidney B., . . .	Libraries ( <i>clerk</i> ), Water Supply ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Keith, Roland M., . . .	Labor, Parishes and Religious Societies.
Kelleher, William A., .	Banks and Banking, Military Affairs.
Kemp, Frank D., . . .	Ways and Means.
Kenney, Clesson, . . .	Federal Relations, Towns ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Kenney, Michael J., . .	Cities.
Kiely, Philip A., . . .	Legal Affairs.

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Lamoureux, S John, . .	Railroads ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Learned, William F., .	Prisons.
Leining, Adam, . . .	Water Supply.
Leonard, Edwin F., . .	Mercantile Affairs, State House ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Lewis, John B., Jr., . .	Liquor Law.
Linscott, Andrew R., . .	Education, Libraries.
Lomasney, Martin M., .	Metropolitan Affairs.
Long, George W., . . .	Insurance, Printing ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Loring, Hiram W., . . .	Agriculture, Military Affairs ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Lothrop, John F., . . .	Metropolitan Affairs.
Luce, Robert, . . . . .	Election Laws ( <i>chairman</i> ), Federal Relations.
Lyman, Darwin E., . . .	State House, Towns.
Lyons, William J., . . .	Prisons.

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<b>NAME.</b>	<b>COMMITTEES.</b>
Macomber, Charles H., . . .	Harbors and Public Lands.
Malley, Charles A., . . .	Harbors and Public Lands.
Mapes, Harry E., . . .	Fisheries and Game, Harbors and Public Lands.
Marcy, John H., . . .	Mercantile Affairs.
Mayberry, Charles, . . .	Insurance, Legal Affairs.
Mayhew, Ulysses E., . . .	Ways and Means.
McCann, Matthew, . . .	Mercantile Affairs, Public Service.
McCarthy, Daniel J., . . .	Liquor Law.
McDonald, Daniel J., . . .	Cities.
McDonald, John M., . . .	Pay-Roll, Counties.
McEttrick, Michael J., . . .	Ways and Means, Education.
McGonagle, Philip J., . . .	Parishes and Religious Societies, State House.
McGrath, John F., . . .	Labor.
McKenney, John H., . . .	Agriculture.
McKie, Lewis B., . . .	Public Lighting.
McKirdy, Robert K., . . .	Railroads.
McKnight, Edwin T., . . .	Bills in the Third Reading ( <i>chair-</i> <i>man</i> ), Street Railways.
Meehan, John F., . . .	Public Service.
Meyers, Julius, . . .	Public Health, Street Railways.
Mildram, Samuel H., . . .	Taxation.
Mock, Jacob H., . . .	Taxation.
Morgan, Daniel H., . . .	Banks and Banking ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Morse, Leslie K., . . .	Prisons.
Muehlig, Emil J., . . .	Drainage, Public Charitable Insti- tutions.
Murley, Joseph J., . . .	Engrossed Bills.
Murray, William F., Jr., . . .	Elections, Public Lighting.

<b>N</b>	
Nash, Melvin S., . . .	Elections ( <i>clerk</i> ), Liquor Law.
Nason, Arthur L., . . .	Parishes and Religious Societies, Roads and Bridges ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Newhall, George H., . . .	Cities, Insurance.

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NAME.	COMMITTEES.
Newton, William L. V., . .	Public Service ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Nichols, Malcolm E., . .	Metropolitan Affairs ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Nickerson, David C., . .	Mercantile Affairs.

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O'Brien, Edward H., . .	Insurance ( <i>clerk</i> ).
O'Connell, M. Frederick,	Judiciary.
O'Connor, Patrick H., . .	Education.
Oliver, James, . . . .	Military Affairs, Public Health.
O'Rourke, Hugh H., . .	Water Supply.

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Paradise, Charles W., . .	Printing, Water Supply.
Parker, Ralph T., . . . .	Harbors and Public Lands.
Parks, Joseph A., . . . .	Labor ( <i>clerk</i> ), Military Affairs.
Parmenter, Albion F., . .	Agriculture.
Pattison, Thomas, . . . .	Harbors and Public Lands, Public Lighting ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Perham, Edwin C., . . . .	Agriculture.
Pickford, John H., . . . .	Public Charitable Institutions.
Pierce, Ernest H., . . . .	Elections, Education.
Pollock, Robert E., . . . .	Drainage ( <i>clerk</i> ), Public Service.
Porter, Samuel L., . . . .	Roads and Bridges ( <i>chairman</i> ), Water Supply.
Potter, Elmer C., . . . .	Rules, Mercantile Affairs ( <i>chair- man</i> ).
Potter, William J., . . . .	Public Lighting.
Powers, James F., . . . .	Banks and Banking.
Prindle, John F., . . . .	Mercantile Affairs.
Putnam, Melvin B., . . . .	Mercantile Affairs, State House.

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Quinn, John, Jr., . . . .	Judiciary.
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Rice, Henry F., . . .	Military Affairs, Public Lighting.
Robinson, William L., .	Roads and Bridges.
Robinson, William M., .	Election Laws.
Rockwood, Bradley M., .	Public Health, Water Supply.
Ross, Samuel, . . .	Labor ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Russell, Hezekiah S., .	Roads and Bridges.

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Sandberg, Edward J., .	Drainage.
Sawyer, Henry O., . .	Street Railways.
Schoonmaker, John H., .	Insurance.
Shaylor, Charles H., . .	Agriculture ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Shepherd, Joseph J., .	Counties.
Smith, William H., . .	Public Service.
Soliday, Joseph H., . .	Rules, Street Railways ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Sowle, Nathaniel P., . .	Harbors and Public Lands ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Spaulding, Waldo, . .	Railroads.
Stearns, Harry N., . .	Rules, Cities.
Stoddart, John A., . .	Fisheries and Game, Public Charitable Institutions.
Stone, Lucian B., . . .	Street Railways.
Streeter, Arthur H., . .	Federal Relations ( <i>clerk</i> ), Insurance.
Sullivan, Daniel L, . .	Libraries.
Sullivan, John F., . .	Printing.

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Taber, Henry F., . . .	Fisheries and Game.
Teeling, Richard S., . .	Rules, Insurance.
Terry, Clifford B., . .	Judiciary.
Toland, John H., . . .	Ways and Means.
Trudel, William H., . .	Engrossed Bills ( <i>chairman</i> ), Cities ( <i>clerk</i> ).

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Trull, Fred F., . . .	Public Lighting.
Turner, Joseph, . . .	Cities.
Turtle, William, . . .	Rules, Judiciary ( <i>chairman</i> ).

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Varnum, Charles F., . .	Railroads.
Vittum, Albert, . . .	Railroads ( <i>chairman</i> ).

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Walker, Joseph, . . .	Rules, Ways and Means ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Waugh, William L., . .	Counties.
Webster, Walter A., . .	Rules, Metropolitan Affairs ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Weeks, A. S. Parker, . .	Metropolitan Affairs.
Weeks, William E., . .	Legal Affairs ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Wellington, Joseph O., .	Agriculture ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Westall, William E., . .	Libraries, Street Railways.
White, Norman H., . . .	Metropolitan Affairs.
Wier, Charles J., . . .	Judiciary, Roads and Bridges.
Winch, Harry N., . . .	Insurance, Prisons ( <i>chairman</i> ).
Wood, Wilbur A., . . .	Towns ( <i>clerk</i> ).
Worster, Russell B., . .	Counties.
Wright, Alvin L., . . .	Ways and Means, State House ( <i>chairman</i> ).

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[The dates under each rule indicate when the rule and its amendments were adopted. The rules as they are here printed were finally adopted by the Senate on Jan. 21, 1907.

The date 1817 denotes the time when the several rules against which it is placed were first preserved. Previously to that year these rules are not to be found, although from the Senate Journal it appears that they were printed.

Numbers enclosed in parentheses following each rule indicate the corresponding House rule.]

### **THE PRESIDENT.**

**1.** The President shall take the chair at the hour to which the Senate stands adjourned, shall call the members to order, and, on the appearance of a quorum, shall proceed to business. (1.) [1831; 1888.]

**2.** The President shall preserve order and decorum, may speak to points of order in preference to other members, and shall decide all questions of order subject to an appeal to the Senate. He shall rise to put a question, or to address the Senate, but may read sitting. (2, 5.) [1817; between 1821 and 1826; 1831; 1888.]

**3.** The President may vote on all questions. (4.) [1826.]

**4.** The President may appoint a member to perform the duties of the chair for a period not exceeding three days at any one time. (7.) [1831; 1862; 1865; 1888.]

**5.** In case of a vacancy in the office of President, or in case the President, or the member appointed by him to perform the duties of the chair, is absent at the hour to which the Senate stands adjourned, the eldest senior

member present shall call the Senate to order, and shall preside until a President, or a President *pro tempore*, is elected by ballot, and such election shall be the first business in order. (8.) [1831; 1885; 1888.]

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CLERK.

6. The Clerk shall keep a journal of the proceedings of the Senate, and shall cause the same to be printed daily. He shall, in the journal, make note of all questions of order, and enter at length the decisions thereon. He shall insert in an appendix to the journal the rules of the Senate and the joint rules of the two branches. (11, 12.) [1882; 1888.]

7. The Clerk shall prepare and cause to be printed each day a calendar of matters in order for consideration; a list of matters lying on the table; and such other memoranda as he may deem necessary, and as the Senate or the President may direct. (13.) [1882; 1888.]

8. The Clerk shall retain bills and other papers, in reference to which any member has a right to move a reconsideration (except petitions, bills and resolves introduced on leave, orders of inquiry, orders of notice, reports of committees asking to be discharged from the further consideration of a subject, and enacted bills), until the right of reconsideration has expired. (15, 57.) [1855; 1856; 1875; 1882; 1885; 1888; 1891.]

9. When a bill or resolve coming from the other branch does not appear in print in the form in which it was passed in that branch, the Clerk shall either indicate the amendments on the Orders of the Day, or shall have the bill or resolve reprinted, at his discretion. [1882.]

**MEMBERS OF THE SENATE.**

**10.** No member shall be permitted to act on a committee or to vote upon a question in which his private right, distinct from the public interest, is immediately concerned. (24, 63.) [1855; 1888; 1889.]

**11.** No member shall absent himself from the Senate without leave, unless there is a quorum without his presence. (17.) [1817.]

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**COMMITTEES.**

**12.** The following standing committees shall be appointed at the beginning of the political year, to wit:—

A committee on the Judiciary;

A committee on Ways and Means;

Each to consist of five members.

A committee on Bills in the Third Reading;

A committee on Engrossed Bills;

Each to consist of three members.

A committee on Rules;

To consist of the President and four members. (20.)

[1831; 1836; 1840; 1844; 1847; 1863; 1864;  
1870; 1876; 1882; 1885; 1886; 1888; 1891;  
1896; 1897.]

**13.** Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless the Senate shall otherwise specially order, and the member first named upon a committee shall be its chairman. In case of the election of a committee by ballot, the member having the highest number of votes shall act as chairman. (21, 22.)

[1817; between 1821 and 1826; 1831; 1888.]

**13A.** All motions or orders authorizing committees of the Senate to travel or to employ stenographers and

all propositions involving special investigations by committees of the Senate shall be referred without debate to the committee on Rules, who, within fourteen days after such reference, shall report thereon, recommending what action should be taken. (104.) [1904.]

**14.** No committee shall be allowed to occupy the Senate Chamber without a vote of the Senate. (100.)  
[1836; 1863; 1888.]

**15.** No legislation affecting the rights of individuals or the rights of a private or municipal corporation, otherwise than as it affects generally the people of the whole Commonwealth or the people of the city or town to which it specifically applies, shall be proposed or introduced except by a petition, nor shall any bill or resolve embodying such legislation be reported by a committee, except upon a petition duly referred, nor shall such a bill or resolve be reported by a committee, whether on an original reference or on a recommitment with instructions to hear the parties, until it is made to appear to the satisfaction of the committee that proper notice of the proposed legislation has been given by public advertisement or otherwise to all parties interested, without expense to the Commonwealth, or until evidence satisfactory to the committee is produced that all parties interested have in writing waived notice. A committee reporting leave to withdraw or reference to the next General Court for want of proper notice or of a waiver thereof shall set forth this fact in its report, and no bill or resolve shall be in order as a substitute for, or amendment of, such report. Objection to the violation of this rule may be taken at any stage prior to that of the third reading. (31.)  
[1870; 1871; 1885; 1890.]

**16.** When the object of an application, whether by petition, or bill or resolve introduced on leave, can be secured under existing laws, or, without detriment to the public interests, by a general law, the committee to whom the matter is referred shall report leave to withdraw, ought not to pass, or a general law, as the case may be. (30.) [1882; 1885; 1888; 1891; 1893.]

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#### FORM OF BILLS AND RESOLVES.

**17.** Bills and resolves shall be presented in a legible form without material erasures or interlineations, on not less than one sheet of paper, with suitable margins and spaces between the several sections or resolves, and dates and numbers shall be written in words at length. Bills amending existing laws shall not provide for striking words from, or inserting words in, such laws, unless such course is the best calculated to show clearly the subject and nature of the amendment. No repealed law and no law which has expired by limitation, and no part of any such law, shall be re-enacted by reference merely. (42.)

[1844; 1857; 1880; 1882; 1885; 1888; 1889.]

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#### INTRODUCTION OF BUSINESS.

**18.** Every member presenting a petition, memorial, or remonstrance, shall endorse his name thereon, and a brief statement of the nature and object of the instrument; and the reading of the instrument shall be dispensed with, unless specially ordered. (37.)

[1831; 1888.]

**19.** All motions contemplating legislation shall be founded upon petition or upon bill or resolve proposed

to be introduced on leave. Committees to whom messages from the Governor, reports of State officers, boards, commissions, and others authorized to report to the Legislature shall be referred, may report by bill or otherwise such legislation as may be germane to the subject-matter referred to them. (40.)

[1858; 1888; 1891; 1893.]

**20.** All bills and resolves for introduction on leave, resolutions, and petitions for legislation accompanied by bills or resolves embodying the subject-matter prayed for, and all orders of inquiry, which are intended for presentation or introduction to the Senate, and all reports of State officers, shall first be deposited with the Clerk, and, prior to their presentation or introduction, shall be submitted by him to the committee on Rules for inspection. The committee shall examine the same for the purpose of ascertaining (1) whether the legislation proposed is plainly and specifically stated or already provided for; (2) whether such bills, resolves, resolutions, petitions and orders are in proper form; and (3) that compliance has been had with the rules of the Senate and the joint rules of the two branches. Every such matter shall be returned by the committee on Rules to the Clerk not later than the third legislative day succeeding the day of its deposit with him, unless consent in writing to the longer detention thereof is filed with the Clerk by the member presenting the matter, and it shall be by the Clerk submitted to the President and by him laid before the Senate not later than on the next legislative day after it is so returned. Bills, resolves and resolutions which have been laid before the Senate and introduced shall be read, and shall be, by the President, with the consent of the Senate, referred to the appropriate committees. Prior to such reference,



the President may, in his discretion, order bills and resolves, intended for introduction on leave or filed to accompany petitions, and resolutions, intended for introduction, to be printed; and when he so orders they shall, after they are introduced, be printed under the direction of the Clerk. They shall retain, during all subsequent stages, their original numbers and shall also bear such new numbers as may be necessary. Every petition which is not accompanied by a bill or resolve shall be deposited with the Clerk and be retained in his custody until a bill or resolve embodying the legislation prayed for shall be filed with him, when he shall present the same to the committee on Rules, to be disposed of as provided above. The Senate may at any time by order make any other disposition of petitions and remonstrances in the hands of the Clerk. Petitions and remonstrances relating to matters already sent to committees shall be by the President referred to the appropriate committees. (28.) [1891; 1893; 1894.]

**21.** The committee on Rules shall make no change in the substance or form of any matter referred to them in accordance with the preceding rule, without the consent of the member depositing the same, but upon the presentation or introduction of any such matter to the Senate it shall be the duty of some member of the committee on Rules, acting under the committee's instruction, to suggest any failure to comply with the rules, and to offer such amendment or propose such other action as is determined proper or necessary by the committee within the scope of its duties, as above set forth. If, upon such motion, before a petition is referred to a committee, the petitioner is given leave to withdraw because the petition is not in proper form, such action shall not be deemed to be a final rejection under Rule 54,

and shall not prejudice the right of a member to present a petition for the same object conformably to the rules of the Senate and the joint rules of the two branches.

[1893. — Partly embodied in Rule 20 of 1891.]

**22.** Any petition remaining in the hands of the Clerk subsequently to five o'clock in the afternoon of the third Saturday of the session, for the reason that no bill or resolve embodying the legislation prayed for has been presented, shall be forthwith submitted by him to the President, and by him, at the legislative session next succeeding, be referred to the next General Court. (29.)

[1893; 1894; 1898; 1905.]

**23.** No bill or resolve shall be proposed or introduced unless received from the House of Representatives, reported by a committee, or moved as an amendment to the report of a committee, except that special leave may be granted to a member to introduce a bill or resolve, and such bill or resolve shall thereupon be referred to the proper committee for consideration and report. (47.) [1881; 1882; 1888.]

**24.** The consideration of any order proposed for adoption, or of any request for leave to introduce a bill or resolve, or of any motion to suspend Senate Rule 15, or joint rule 8, 9 or 12, shall be postponed without question to the day after that on which the order is proposed or request made, if any member asks such postponement. (41.) [1885; 1891.]

**25.** A petition for the incorporation of a town or city, or for the division of an existing town or city, or for the incorporation of a railroad, street railway, ele-

vated railroad or canal company, or for the amendment, alteration or extension of the charter or corporate powers or privileges of any such company, either specially incorporated or organized under general laws, or for authority to take water for a water supply, or relative to building structures over navigable or tide waters, shall be referred to the next General Court, and not to a committee, unless the petitioner has given the notice required by chapter 3 of the Revised Laws or by other provisions of law. A petition for the incorporation of a college or university or other educational institution, with power to grant degrees, or for amendment of the charter of an existing educational institution so that the said institution, not having such power, shall thereafter have power to grant degrees, shall also be referred to the next General Court, and not to a committee, unless the petitioner has given the notice required by chapter 3 of the Revised Laws. But if, no objection being raised, any such petition is referred to a committee, without such required notice, the committee shall forthwith report reference to the next General Court, setting forth as the reason for such report failure to give the required notice, unless evidence satisfactory to the committee is produced that all parties interested have in writing waived notice. In case a bill or resolve is reported by a committee upon such a petition, after proof of such waiver of notice, this fact shall be set forth in the report of the committee. When a report of reference to the next General Court is made by a committee on account of failure to give the required notice, no bill or resolve shall be substituted for such report, nor shall such report be recommitted or referred to another committee; but reference of the petition to the next General Court for want of proper notice under this

rule shall not affect action upon any other measure involving the same subject-matter. (32.)

[1890; 1891; 1898; 1903.] (See Rule 15.)

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#### COURSE OF PROCEEDINGS.

**26.** Bills and resolves from the House, after they are read a first time, shall be referred to a committee of the Senate, unless they have been reported by a joint committee or substituted for the report of a joint committee. Bills and resolves reported in the Senate, and bills and resolves from the House reported by joint committees or substituted for the reports of joint committees, shall, after they have been read once, be placed in the Orders of the Day for the next day for a second reading without a question, except as otherwise provided by Rule 27. Resolutions received from the House, or introduced or reported in the Senate, shall be read and, pending the question on their adoption, shall be placed in the Orders of the Day for the next day. (45,\*56.)

[1825; 1885; 1888; 1890; 1891; 1897.]

**27.** Bills and resolves involving the expenditure of public money, or a grant of public property, unless the subject-matter has been acted upon by the joint committee on Ways and Means, shall, after the first reading, be referred in course to the Senate committee on Ways and Means, whose duty it shall be to report on their relation to the finances of the Commonwealth or of any county thereof. (44.)

[1871; 1882; 1887; 1888; 1889; 1896.]

**28.** No bill or resolve shall pass to be engrossed without three readings on three several days. (51.)

[1817; 1836; 1841; 1859; 1878; 1881; 1882; 1885.]

**29.** Bills and resolves, in their several readings, and resolutions, shall be read by their titles, unless objection is made. (48.)

[1817; 1836; 1841; 1859; 1878; 1881; 1882;  
1885; 1890.]

**30.** If a committee to whom a bill or resolve is referred report that the same ought not to pass, the question shall be “ Shall this bill (or resolve) be rejected ? ” and if such committee report recommending that the same be referred to the next General Court, the question shall be “ Shall this bill (or resolve) be referred to the next General Court ? ” If the rejection or the recommendation of reference to the next General Court is negatived, the bill or resolve, if it has been read but once, shall go to its second reading without a question ; and if it has been read more than once it shall be placed in the Orders of the Day for the next day, pending the question on ordering to a third reading, or engrossment, as the case may be. (43.)

[1817; 1836; 1841; 1859; 1878; 1881; 1882;  
1885; 1897.]

**31.** If an amendment is made at the second or third reading of a bill or resolve, substantially changing the greater part thereof, the question shall not be put forthwith on ordering the bill or resolve to a third reading or to be engrossed, as the case may be, but the bill or resolve, as amended, shall be placed in the Orders of the next day after that on which the amendment is made, and shall then be open to further amendment before such question is put. In like manner, when an amendment is made in any proposition of such a nature as to change its character, as from a bill to an order, or the like, the proposition as amended shall be placed in the Orders of

the next day after that on which the amendment was made. (62.) [1882; 1888.]

**32.** Bills or resolves ordered to a third reading shall be placed in the Orders for the next day for such reading. (58.)

[1817; 1836; 1841; 1859; 1878; 1881; 1882; 1885.]

**33.** Bills and resolves when ordered to a third reading shall be referred to the committee on Bills in the Third Reading, whose duty it shall be to examine and correct them, for the purpose of avoiding repetitions and unconstitutional provisions, and of insuring accuracy in the text and references, and consistency with the language of existing statutes; but any change in the sense or legal effect, or any material change in construction, shall be reported to the Senate as an amendment. Resolutions received from the House or introduced or reported in the Senate shall, after they are read and before they are adopted, be referred, in like manner, to the committee on Bills in the Third Reading. When a bill, resolve or resolution has been so referred, no further action shall be taken until report thereon has been made by the committee. (26, 50.)

[1817; 1836; 1882; 1888; 1890; 1891.]

**34.** Engrossed bills and resolves shall be referred to the committee on Engrossed Bills, whose duty it shall be carefully to compare the same with the bills or resolves as passed to be engrossed; and, if found by them to be rightly and truly engrossed, they shall so endorse on the envelope thereof; and the question of enactment or final passage shall be taken thereon without further reading, unless specially ordered. (27, 52, 54.)

[1817; 1831; 1882; 1888.]

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

**35.** The unfinished business in which the Senate was engaged at the time of the last adjournment shall have the preference in the Orders of the Day next after motions to reconsider. (60.) [1830; 1870.]

**36.** Reports of committees not by bill or resolve shall be placed in the Orders of the next day after that on which they are made to the Senate or received from the House, as the case may be; except that the report of a committee asking to be discharged from the further consideration of a subject, and recommending that it be referred to another committee, shall be immediately considered. Amendments to a measure, which have been made by the House and sent back to the Senate for concurrence, shall be placed in the Orders of the next day after that on which they are received. (46, 57.)

[1845; 1853; 1888; 1891.]

**37.** After entering upon the consideration of the Orders of the Day, the Senate shall proceed with them in regular course, as follows: Matters not giving rise to a motion or debate shall first be disposed of in the order in which they stand in the calendar; then the matters that were passed over shall be considered and disposed of in like order. (59.)

[1817; 1836; 1841; 1859; 1878; 1882; 1885.]

**38.** No matter which has been duly placed in the Orders of the Day shall be discharged therefrom or considered out of its regular course. (61.) [1885.]

## RULES OF DEBATE.

**39.** Every member, when he speaks, shall stand in his place and address the President. (73.)

[1817; 1831; 1871.]

**40.** When two or more members rise to speak at the same time, the President shall designate the member who is entitled to the floor. (74.) [1831; 1888.]

**41.** No member shall speak more than once to the prevention of any other member who has not spoken and desires to speak on the same question. (76.)

[1817; 1886.]

**42.** No member shall interrupt another while speaking, except by rising to call to order. (75.)

[1817; 1831.]

**43.** After a question is put to vote no member shall speak to it. [1817.]

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MOTIONS.

**44.** Any motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President so directs. A motion need not be seconded and may be withdrawn by the mover if no objection is made. (77, 78.) [1817; 1844; 1871; 1888.]

**45.** A question containing two or more propositions, capable of division, shall be divided whenever desired by any member. When a motion to strike out and insert is thus divided, the failure of the motion to strike out shall not preclude amendment; or, if the motion to strike out prevails, the matter proposed to be inserted shall be open to amendment before the question is taken on inserting it. (91.) [1817; 1841; 1888.]



**46.** When a question is under debate the President shall receive no motion that does not relate to the same, except a motion to adjourn or some other motion which has precedence by express rule of the Senate, or because it is privileged in its nature; and he shall receive no motion relating to the same except: —

- (1) *To lay on the table;*
- (2) *To close debate at a specified time;*
- (3) *To postpone to a day certain;*
- (4) *To commit (or recommit);*
- (5) *To amend;*
- (6) *To refer to the next General Court; or*
- (7) *To postpone indefinitely.*

These motions shall have precedence in the order in which they stand. (80.)

[Between 1821 and 1826; 1831; 1844; 1870;  
1882; 1885; 1888.]

**47.** Debate may be closed at any time not less than one hour from the adoption of a motion to that effect, On this motion not more than ten minutes shall be allowed for debate, and no member shall speak more than three minutes. (85.) [1882.]

**48.** When motions are made to refer a subject to different committees, the committees proposed shall be considered in the following order: —

- (1) A standing committee of the Senate;
  - (2) A special committee of the Senate;
  - (3) A joint standing committee of the two branches;
  - (4) A joint special committee of the two branches.
- (88.) [1884; 1888.]

**49.** No engrossed bill or resolve shall be amended.  
(53.) [1837.]

**50.** No motion or proposition of a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under the color of an amendment. (90.) [1882.]

**51.** In filling blanks the largest sum and longest time shall be put first. (87, 92.) [1882.]

**52.** The motion to adjourn, and the call for yeas and nays, shall be decided without debate. On the motions to lay on the table and take from the table, to commit or recommit (except with instructions), not exceeding ten minutes shall be allowed for debate, and no member shall speak more than three minutes. (69, 79.)

[1817; 1859; 1870; 1874; 1882; 1885.]

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#### RECONSIDERATION.

**53.** No motion to reconsider a vote shall be entertained unless it is made on the same day on which the vote has passed, or on the next day thereafter on which a quorum is present and before the Orders of the Day for that day have been taken up. If reconsideration is moved on the same day, the motion shall be placed first in the Orders of the Day for the succeeding day; but, if it is moved on the succeeding day, the motion shall be considered forthwith: *provided, however*, that this rule shall not prevent the reconsideration of a vote on a subsidiary, incidental or dependent question at any time when the main question to which it relates is under consideration; and *provided, further*, that a motion to reconsider a vote on any incidental, subsidiary or dependent question shall not remove the main subject under consideration from before the Senate, but shall be considered at the time when it is made. There shall be no reconsideration of the vote on the question on adjourning, for the yeas and nays, on laying on the table or on taking

from the table; and when a motion for reconsideration has been decided, that decision shall not be reconsidered. (70, 71.)

[1817; between 1821 and 1826; 1858; 1885; 1888; 1891; 1902.]

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REJECTED MEASURES.

**54.** When any measure has been finally rejected, no measure substantially the same shall be introduced by any committee or member during the session. (49.)

[1817; dispensed with in 1831, and revived in 1838; amended in 1841; 1844; 1877; 1882.]

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VOTING.

**55.** The President shall declare all votes; but if a member doubts a vote, the President shall order a return of the number voting in the affirmative, and in the negative, without further debate. (3, 66.)

[1831; 1888.]

**56.** When a member moves that a question be taken by yeas and nays, the President shall take the sense of the Senate in that manner, provided one-fifth of the members present so direct. If, before the question is taken, a member states to the Senate that he has paired with another member and how each would vote on the pending question, the fact shall be entered on the journal immediately after the record of the yeas and nays, and such member shall be excused from voting. (68.)

[1817; 1852; 1888.]

**57.** Whenever a question is taken by yeas and nays, the Clerk shall call the names of all the members, except the President, in alphabetical order, and every

member present shall answer to his name, unless excused before the vote is taken; and no member shall be permitted to vote after the decision is announced from the chair. (64, 68.) [1837; 1844.]

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#### ELECTIONS BY BALLOT.

**58.** In all elections by ballot a time shall be assigned for such election, at least one day previous thereto, except in case of an election of President or President *pro tempore*, under the provisions of Rule 5. (96.)

[1831; 1891.]

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#### REPORTERS.

**59.** Seats for reporters shall be numbered, and assigned by lot, under the direction of the Clerk of the Senate. [1847.]

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#### THE SENATE CHAMBER AND ADJOINING ROOMS.

**60.** No person not a member shall be allowed to sit at the Senate table while the Senate is in session. (99.)

[1853; 1888.]

**61.** No person, except members of the legislative and executive departments of the State government, persons in the exercise of an official duty directly connected with the business of the Senate, and legislative reporters, shall, unless invited by the President, be admitted to the floor of the Senate Chamber, or to the reception room or that part of the Senate corridor which is between the reception room and the Senate Chamber, during the sessions of the Senate, or during the half hour preceding or succeeding said sessions, nor to the Senate reading room or cloak room on any day when a session of the Senate is held, except upon written invitation bearing the name of the person it is desired

to invite and the name of the Senator extending the invitation, which invitation shall be surrendered when the said person enters the apartment. No person, except members of the legislative and executive departments of the State government, persons in the exercise of an official duty directly connected with the business of the Senate and legislative reporters, shall be permitted to loiter in the reading room, the cloak room, the reception room or the Senate corridor at any time. Smoking shall not be permitted in the reception room. (99.)

[1870; 1875; 1886; 1891; 1895; 1896; 1897; 1898; 1907.]

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**62.** The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in the revised edition of Crocker's Principles of Procedure in Deliberative Bodies, and the principles of parliamentary law set forth in Cushing's Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies, shall govern the Senate in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the rules of the Senate, or the joint rules of the two branches. (101.)

[1847; 1858; 1882; 1895.]

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#### ALTERATIONS, SUSPENSION OR REPEAL OF RULES.

**63.** This rule and rules 24, 31, 33, 34 and 53 shall not be suspended if objection is made; rule 22 shall not be rescinded, amended or suspended, except by a vote of four-fifths of the members present and voting thereon; and no other rule shall be altered, suspended or repealed, except by vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting thereon. (103.)

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[This schedule of Rules was adopted Jan. 27, 1874. Subsequent amendments are noted under each Rule which has been amended.]

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#### **SPEAKER.**

**1.** The Speaker shall take the chair at the hour to which the House stands adjourned, call the members to order, and, on the appearance of a quorum, proceed to business. (Senate Rule 1.)

**2.** He shall preserve decorum and order; may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House. (2.)

[With regard to appeals, see Rules 83 and 94.]

**3.** He shall declare all votes, subject to verification as hereinafter provided. (53.)

[See Rules 65 to 69.]

**4.** In all cases he may vote. (3.)

**5.** He shall rise to put a question, or to address the House, but may read sitting. (2.)

6. He shall each day examine the journal of the House.

7. He may appoint a member to perform the duties of the chair for a period not exceeding three days at one time. (4.)

[Amended Jan. 14, 1892.]

8. In case of a vacancy in the office of Speaker, or in case the Speaker or the member named by him in accordance with the preceding rule is absent at the hour to which the House stands adjourned, the senior member present shall call the House to order, and shall preside until a Speaker *pro tempore* or a Speaker is elected by ballot, which shall be the first business in order. (5.)

#### MONITORS.

9. Two monitors shall be appointed by the Speaker for each division of the House, whose duty it shall be to see to the due observance of the rules and, on request of the Speaker, to return the number of votes and members in their respective divisions.

10. If a member transgress any of the rules after being notified thereof by a monitor, it shall be the duty of such monitor to report the case to the House.

[See Rule 19.]

#### CLERK.

11. The Clerk shall keep the journal of the House. He shall enter therein a record of each day's proceedings, and submit it to the Speaker before the hour fixed for the next sitting, and shall cause the same to be printed daily. (6.)

[Amended Jan. 16, 1888.]

12. Every question of order with the decision thereon shall be entered at large in the journal, and shall be



noted in an appendix, which shall also contain the rules of the House, and of the two branches. (6.)

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891.]

13. The Clerk shall prepare and cause to be printed each day a calendar of matters in order for consideration; a list of matters lying on the table; and such other memoranda as the House or the Speaker may direct. (7.)

[Amended Jan. 16, 1888.]

14. Any objection to the calendar shall be made and disposed of before the House votes to proceed to the consideration of the Orders of the Day.

15. The Clerk shall retain bills and other papers, in reference to which any member has a right to move a reconsideration (except petitions, enacted bills, orders of inquiry and orders of notice), until the right of reconsideration has expired: *provided*, that the operation of this rule shall be suspended during the last week of the session. (8.)

#### MEMBERS.

16. No member shall stand up, to the inconvenience of others, while a member is speaking; or pass unnecessarily between the Speaker of the House and the member speaking; or stand in the passages, or in the area in front of the chair; or stand at the Clerk's desk while a roll-call is in progress.

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891.]

17. No member shall be absent more than two days, without leave of the House. No member shall absent himself from the House without leave, unless there be a quorum without his presence. When it appears to the presiding officer that the presence of a quorum is en-

dangered he shall order the doors to be closed until the House takes action thereon. (11.)

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891.]

18. Papers in possession of a member obtaining leave of absence, or at the end of the session, shall be left by him with the Clerk.

19. If a member is guilty of a breach of any of the rules, he may be required by the House, on motion, to make satisfaction therefor; and, until he has done so, he shall not be allowed to vote or speak, except by way of excuse.

[See Rule 10.]

#### COMMITTEES.

20. At the beginning of the political year, standing committees shall be appointed as follows: — (12.)

A committee on Rules;

(to consist of the Speaker, who shall be chairman of the committee, and ten other members).

A committee on Ways and Means;

A committee on the Judiciary;

(to consist of eleven members each).

A committee on Elections;

(to consist of seven members).

A committee on Bills in the Third Reading;

A committee on Engrossed Bills;

A committee on Pay-Roll;

(to consist of three members each).

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891; Jan. 2, 1896; Jan. 11, 1897; Jan. 10, 1898; Jan. 7, 1901.]

21. Unless other provision is made in any case all committees shall be appointed by the Speaker, and the member first named shall be chairman. (13.)

**22.** In case of the election of a committee by ballot, the member having the highest number of votes shall be chairman. (13.)

**23.** No member shall be required to be on more than two committees at the same time, or chairman of more than one.

**24.** No member shall serve on any committee in any question where his private right is immediately concerned, distinct from the public interest. (10.)

**25.** The committee on Ways and Means shall report, in appropriation bills, only such items of expenditure as are authorized by law, or such as the committee has been directed by the House to insert, and shall state in its report the total amount of appropriations in the accompanying bill; and also at the end of each item in said bill the amount, if any, appropriated the previous year for the same purpose.

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891; Jan. 2, 1896.]

**26.** The committee on Bills in the Third Reading shall examine and correct the bills which are referred to it, for the purpose of avoiding repetitions and unconstitutional provisions, insuring accuracy in the text and references, and consistency with the language of existing statutes: *provided*, that any change in the sense or legal effect, or any material change in construction, shall be reported to the House as an amendment. (33.)

[Amended Jan. 15, 1880.]

**27.** The committee on Engrossed Bills shall carefully examine and compare engrossed bills, and report them rightly and truly engrossed, when found to be so, without delay. (34.)

**28.** All resolutions, bills and resolves for introduction on leave, intended for presentation by any member of the House, and all reports of State officers, shall first be deposited with the Clerk, and prior to their presentation shall be submitted by him to the Speaker for his examination; and not later than the fourth legislative day succeeding the day of their deposit with the Clerk, the Speaker shall, before the Orders of the Day are considered, present the same to the House, when they, in the case of resolutions, bills and resolves, shall be read, and shall by the Speaker with the consent of the House be referred to the appropriate committee; and all such resolutions, bills and resolves shall be printed under the direction of the Clerk. They shall retain their original provided numbers, when reprinted, together with new numbers thereafter, during all subsequent stages. All petitions asking for legislation shall, if accompanied by a bill or resolve embodying the subject-matter prayed for, be referred with such bill or resolve as provided above. The same disposition shall be made of petitions and remonstrances referring to matters previously sent to a committee. Petitions not so accompanied shall be retained in the custody of the Clerk until a bill or resolve embodying the legislation prayed for shall be filed with him, when he shall present the same to the Speaker, to be disposed of as provided above. The House may at any time by order make any other disposition of petitions and remonstrances in the hands of the Clerk. (20.)

[Adopted Jan. 13, 1893; amended Jan. 11, 1894; March 30, 1894; March 14, 1899.]

**29.** Any petition remaining in the hands of the Clerk subsequent to five o'clock in the afternoon on the third Saturday of the session, for the reason that no bill or resolve embodying the legislation prayed for has been presented, shall be forthwith submitted by him to the

Speaker, and by him, at the legislative session next succeeding, be referred to the next General Court. This rule shall not be rescinded or revoked or suspended except by a vote of four-fifths of the members present and voting thereon. (22.)

[Adopted Jan. 13, 1893; amended Jan. 11, 1894; Jan. 10, 1898; Feb. 21, 1905.]

**30.** When the object of an application can be secured without a special act under existing laws, or, without detriment to the public interests, by a general law, the committee to which the matter is referred shall report such general law, or leave to withdraw, or ought not to pass, as the case may be. (16.)

[Amended Jan. 15, 1880; Jan. 13, 1893.]

**31.** No legislation affecting the rights of individuals or the rights of a private or municipal corporation, otherwise than as it affects generally the people of the whole Commonwealth or the people of the city or town to which it specifically applies, shall be proposed or introduced except upon a petition; nor shall any bill or resolve embodying such legislation be reported by a committee except upon a petition duly referred; nor shall such a bill or resolve be reported by a committee, whether on an original reference or on a recommittal with instructions to hear the parties, until it is made to appear to the satisfaction of the committee that proper notice of the proposed legislation has been given, by public advertisement or otherwise, to all parties interested, without expense to the Commonwealth, or until evidence satisfactory to the committee is produced that all parties interested have in writing waived notice. A committee reporting leave to withdraw or reference to the next General Court, for want of proper notice or of a waiver thereof, shall set forth this fact in its report,

and no bill or resolve shall be in order as a substitute for or amendment of such report. Objection to the violation of this rule may be taken at any stage prior to that of the third reading. (15.)

[Adopted Feb. 11, 1890; amended Jan. 13, 1893.]

**32.** A petition for the incorporation of a town or city, or for the division of an existing town or city, or for the incorporation of a railroad, street railway, elevated railroad or canal company, or for the amendment, alteration, or extension of the charter or corporate powers or privileges of any such company, either specially incorporated or organized under general laws, or for authority to take water for a water supply, or relative to building structures over navigable or tide waters, shall be referred to the next General Court, and not to a committee, unless the petitioner has given the notice required by chapter 3 of the Revised Laws or by other provisions of law; a petition for the incorporation of a college or university or other educational institution, with power to grant degrees, or for an amendment of the charter of an existing educational institution so that the said institution not having such power shall thereafter have power to grant degrees, shall also be referred to the next General Court, and not to a committee, unless the petitioner has given the notice required by chapter 3 of the Revised Laws; but if, no objection being raised, any such petition is referred to a committee without such required notice, the committee shall forthwith report reference to the next General Court, setting forth as the reason for such report failure to give the required notice, unless evidence satisfactory to the committee is produced that all parties interested have in writing waived notice. In case a bill or resolve is reported by a committee upon such a petition, after proof

of such waiver of notice, this fact shall be set forth in the report of the committee. When a report of reference to the next General Court is made by a committee, on account of failure to give the required notice, no bill or resolve shall be substituted for such report, nor shall such report be recommitted or referred to another committee; but reference of the petition to the next General Court for want of proper notice under this rule shall not affect action upon any other measure involving the same subject-matter. (25.)

[Adopted Feb. 11, 1890; amended Feb. 2, 1891; Feb. 18, 1898; Feb. 6, 1902.]

**33.** On or before the second Wednesday in March, committees shall make final report upon matters referred to them prior to that day.

[Amended Feb. 15, 1883; Feb. 2, 1891; Jan. 25, 1894.]

*Committee of the Whole.*

**34.** When the House determines to go into a committee of the whole, the chairman shall be appointed by the Speaker.

**35.** The rules of the House shall be observed in a committee of the whole, so far as they may be applicable, except the rules limiting debate. A motion to rise, report progress, and ask leave to sit again, shall be always first in order and be decided without debate.

REGULAR COURSE OF PROCEEDINGS.

*Petitions, etc., and Reports of Committees.*

**36.** Petitions, memorials, remonstrances and papers of a like nature, and reports of committees, shall be presented before the House proceeds to the consideration of the Orders of the Day, and the Speaker shall call for such papers.

**37.** The member presenting a petition, memorial, or remonstrance, shall indorse his name thereon, with a brief statement of the nature and object of the paper; and the reading thereof shall be dispensed with, unless specially ordered. (18.)

*Papers from the Senate.*

**38.** Papers from the Senate shall be laid before the House by the Speaker, and received for action conformably to such of these rules as are applicable thereto, before the House proceeds to the consideration of the Orders of the Day.

*Papers addressed to the House, not Petitions.*

**39.** Papers addressed to the House, or the General Court, other than petitions, memorials and remonstrances, or those received from the Senate, may be presented by the Speaker, or by a member in his place, and shall be read, unless it is specially ordered that the reading be dispensed with.

*Motions contemplating Legislation, etc.*

**40.** All motions contemplating legislation shall be founded upon petition or upon bill or resolve proposed to be introduced on leave.

The committee on Ways and Means may originate and report appropriation bills based upon existing law. Messages from the Governor shall, unless otherwise ordered, be referred to the appropriate committee, which may report by bill or otherwise thereon. A similar disposition shall, unless otherwise ordered, be made of reports by State officers and recess committees authorized to report to the Legislature, and similar action may be had thereon. (19.)

[Amended Jan. 13, 1893; Jan. 2, 1896.]



*Postponement to the Next Day on Request of a Member.*

**41.** The consideration of an order proposed for adoption, except as provided in joint rule twenty-eight or House rule one hundred and four, or of any request for leave to introduce a bill, or any motion to suspend joint rules eight or thirteen, or House rules thirty-one, forty-five or forty-six, shall be postponed without question to the day after that on which the order is proposed or request or motion made, if any member asks such postponement. (24.)

[Amended June 13, 1890; Jan. 13, 1893; March 14, 1899.]

*Bills and Resolves.* [See Rule 95.]

**42.** Bills shall be printed or written in a legible hand, without material erasure or interlineation, on not less than one sheet of paper, with suitable margins and spaces between the several sections, dates and numbers being written in words at length. Bills amending existing laws shall not provide for striking words from, or inserting words in, such laws, unless such course is best calculated to show clearly the subject and nature of the amendment. No repealed law, and no part of any repealed law, shall be re-enacted by reference merely. (17.)

[Amended Jan. 15, 1880; Feb. 2, 1891.]

**43.** If a committee to whom a bill is referred report that the same ought not to pass, the question shall be, “Shall this bill be rejected?” If the question on rejection is negatived, the bill, if it has been read but once, shall go to a second reading without question; otherwise it shall be placed in the Orders for the next day, pending the question on ordering to a third reading, or engrossment, as the case may be. (30.)

[Amended Jan. 10, 1883.]

**44.** Bills involving an expenditure of public money, or grant of public property, unless the subject-matter has been acted upon by the joint committee on Ways and Means, shall, after their first reading, be referred to the committee on Ways and Means, for report on their relation to the finances of the Commonwealth. New provisions shall not be added to such bills by the committee on Ways and Means, unless directly connected with the financial features thereof. Bills involving an expenditure of county money shall, after their first reading, be referred to the committee on Counties on the part of the House, for report on their relation to the finances of the county affected, unless the subject-matter thereof has been previously acted upon by the joint committee on Counties: and no new provisions shall be added to such bills by the committee on Counties on the part of the House unless directly connected with the financial features thereof. (27.)

[Amended Jan. 24, 1887; Feb. 11, 1890; Jan. 25, 1895; Jan. 29, 1895; Jan. 2, 1896; Jan. 27, 1896; Jan. 10, 1898.]

**45.** Bills from the Senate, after their first reading, shall be referred to a committee of the House, unless they were reported to the Senate by a joint committee. (26.)

**46.** Amendments proposed by the Senate and sent back to the House for concurrence shall be referred to the committee which reported the measure proposed to be amended, unless such committee is composed of members of both branches; in which case such amendments shall be placed in the Orders of the Day for the next day. (36.)

[Amended April 9, 1878.]

**47.** No bill shall be proposed or introduced unless received from the Senate, reported by a committee, or moved as an amendment to the report of a committee:

*provided*, that the House may grant special leave to a member to introduce a bill; but, when leave is asked for the introduction of a bill, it shall be read for information before the question is put on granting leave; and, if leave is granted, it shall be committed before it is ordered to a second reading. (23.)

**48.** Bills, resolves and other papers that have been, or, under the rules or usage of the House, are to be printed, shall be read by their titles only, unless the full reading is requested. (29.)

[Adopted Jan. 10, 1883.]

**49.** When a bill, order, petition, memorial or remonstrance has been finally rejected by the House, no measure substantially the same shall be introduced by any committee or member during the same session. (54.)

[Amended April 26, 1877; Feb. 11, 1890.]

**50.** Bills in their third reading shall be referred to the committee on Bills in the Third Reading for examination, correction and report. Resolutions received from and adopted by the Senate, or reported in the House, shall, after they are read and before they are adopted, be referred in like manner to the committee on Bills in the Third Reading. When a bill or resolution has been so referred, such bill or resolution shall not be acted upon until report thereon has been made by the committee. (33.)

[Amended Jan. 10, 1898.]

[See Rule 26.]

**51.** No bill shall pass to be engrossed without having been read on three several days. (28.)

**52.** Engrossed bills shall be referred to the committee on Engrossed Bills for examination, comparison and report. (34.)

[See Rule 27.]

**53.** No engrossed bill shall be amended except by striking out the enacting clause. (34.) (49.)

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891.]

**54.** Engrossed bills, reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills to be rightly and truly engrossed, shall be put upon their passage to be enacted; and engrossed resolves, when so reported, shall be put upon their passage without further reading, unless specially ordered. (34.)

**55.** No engrossed bill shall be sent to the Senate without notice thereof being given by the Speaker.

*Orders of the Day.*

**56.** Bills from the Senate, after their first reading, when not referred to a committee of the House, bills favorably reported to the House by committees, and bills the question of the rejection of which is negatived, shall be placed in the Orders for the next day, and, if they have been read but once, shall go to a second reading without question. Resolutions received from and adopted by the Senate, or reported in the House by committees, shall, after they are read, be placed in the Orders of the Day for the next day. (26.)

[Amended Jan. 10, 1883; Feb. 5, 1886; Jan. 10, 1898.]

**57.** Reports of committees not by bill or resolve shall be placed in the Orders of the next day after that on which they are received from the Senate, or made to the House, as the case may be: *provided*, that the report of a committee asking to be discharged from the further consideration of a subject, and recommending that it be referred to another committee, shall be immediately considered and shall not be subject to the provisions of rule fifteen. (36.)

[Amended Jan. 15, 1880; Feb. 2, 1891.]

**58.** Bills ordered to a third reading shall be placed in the Orders of the next day for such reading. (32.) (33.)

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891; Jan. 10, 1898.]

**59.** After entering upon the consideration of the Orders of the Day, the House shall proceed with them in regular course as follows: Matters not giving rise to a motion or debate shall first be disposed of in the order in which they stand in the calendar; after which the matters that were passed over shall be considered in like order and disposed of. (37.)

**60.** When the House does not finish the consideration of the Orders of the Day, those which had not been acted upon shall be the Orders of the next and each succeeding day until disposed of, and shall be entered in the calendar, without change in their order, to precede matters added under rules fifty-six, fifty-seven and fifty-eight. The unfinished business in which the House was engaged at the time of adjournment shall have the preference in the Orders of the next day, after motions to reconsider. (35.)

[Amended Jan. 13, 1893.]

*Special Rules affecting the Course of Proceedings.*

[For postponement of order, etc., to the next day, on request of a member, see Rule 41.]

**61.** No matter which has been duly placed in the Orders of the Day shall be discharged therefrom, or considered out of the regular course. This rule shall not be rescinded or revoked or suspended except by a vote of four-fifths of the members present and voting thereon. (38.)

[Amended Jan. 10, 1895.]

**62.** If, under the operation of the previous question, or otherwise, an amendment is made at the second or

third reading of a bill substantially changing the greater part of such bill, the question shall not be put forthwith on ordering the bill to a third reading or to be engrossed (as the case may be), but the bill, as amended, shall be placed in the Orders of the next day after that on which the amendment is made, and shall then be open to further amendment before such question is put. In like manner, when, under the operation of the previous question or otherwise, an amendment is made in any proposition of such a nature as to change its character, as from a bill to an order, or the like, the proposition as amended shall be placed in the Orders of the next day after that on which the amendment was made. (31.)

#### VOTING.

**63.** No member shall vote upon any question where his private right is immediately concerned, distinct from the public interest. (10.)

**64.** Members desiring to be excused from voting shall make application to that effect before the division of the House or the taking of the yeas and nays is begun. Such application may be accompanied by a brief statement of reasons by the member making it, but shall be decided without debate, and shall not be subject to the provisions of rule sixty-eight. (57.)

[Amended Jan. 8, 1877; Feb. 5, 1886; Jan. 13, 1893.]

**65.** When a question is put, the sense of the House shall be taken by the voices of the members, and the Speaker shall first announce the vote as it appears to him by the sound. (55.)

**66.** If the Speaker is unable to decide by the sound of the voices, or if his announcement made thereupon is doubted by a member rising in his place for that pur-

pose, the Speaker shall order a return by divisions of the number voting in the affirmative and in the negative, without further debate upon the question. (55.)

[For duty of monitors in case of a division, see Rule 9.]

**67.** When a return by divisions is ordered, the members for or against the question, when called on by the Speaker, shall rise in their places, and stand until they are counted. If upon the taking of such a vote the presence of a quorum is doubted, a count of the House shall be had, and if a quorum is present the vote shall stand.

[Amended Feb. 11, 1889.]

**68.** The sense of the House shall be taken by yeas and nays whenever required by thirty of the members present. When the yeas and nays are taken, the roll of the House shall be called in alphabetical order, and no member shall be allowed to vote who was not on the floor before the vote is declared. If, before the question is taken, a member states to the House that he has paired with another member, and how each would vote upon the pending question, the fact shall be entered on the journal immediately after the record of the yeas and nays, and such member shall be excused from voting, but shall be included with the members voting for the purposes of a quorum. (56.) (57.)

[Amended Jan. 4, 1878; April 2, 1878; April 1, 1879; Feb. 2, 1891; Jan. 10, 1895.]

**69.** The call for the yeas and nays shall be decided without debate. If the yeas and nays have been ordered before the question is put, the proceedings under rules sixty-five, sixty-six and sixty-seven shall be omitted; if not, they may be called for in lieu of a return by divisions when the Speaker's announcement is doubted by a member rising in his place, and, if then ordered, the

proceedings under rules sixty-six and sixty-seven shall be omitted. (52.)

[Amended Jan. 13, 1893.]

*Reconsideration.*

**70.** No motion to reconsider a vote shall be entertained unless it is made on the same day on which the vote was passed, or before the Orders of the Day have been taken up on the next day thereafter on which a quorum is present. If reconsideration is moved on the same day, the motion shall (except during the last week of the session) be placed first in the Orders of the Day for the succeeding day; but, if it is moved on the succeeding day, the motion shall be considered forthwith: *provided, however*, that this rule shall not prevent the reconsideration of a vote on a subsidiary, incidental or dependent question at any time when the main question to which it relates is under consideration; and *provided, further*, that a motion to reconsider a vote on any subsidiary, incidental or dependent question shall not remove the main subject under consideration from before the House, but shall be considered at the time when it is made. (53.)

[Amended June 13, 1890; Feb. 2, 1891; Feb. 7, 1902.]

**71.** When a motion for reconsideration is decided, that decision shall not be reconsidered, and no question shall be twice reconsidered; nor shall any vote be reconsidered upon either of the following motions: —

to adjourn,

to lay on the table,

to take from the table; or,

for the previous question. (53.)

**72.** Debate on motions to reconsider shall be limited to thirty minutes, and no member shall occupy more than five minutes; but on a motion to reconsider a vote



upon any subsidiary or incidental question, debate shall be limited to ten minutes, and no member shall occupy more than three minutes.

[Amended Feb. 5, 1886; June 13, 1890.]

[For rule requiring the Clerk to retain papers, except, etc., until the right of reconsideration has expired, see Rule 15.]

#### **RULES OF DEBATE.**

**73.** Every member, when about to speak, shall rise and respectfully address the Speaker; shall confine himself to the question under debate, and avoid personalities; and shall sit down when he has finished. No member shall speak out of his place without leave of the Speaker. (39.)

**74.** When two or more members rise at the same time the Speaker shall name the member entitled to the floor, preferring one who rises in his place to one who does not. (40.)

**75.** No member shall interrupt another while speaking, except by rising to call to order. (42.)

**76.** No member shall speak more than once to the prevention of those who have not spoken and desire to speak on the same question. (41.)

#### ***Motions.***

**77.** Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the Speaker so directs. (44.)

**78.** A motion need not be seconded, and may be withdrawn by the mover if no objection is made. (44.)

#### ***Limit of Debate.***

**79.** A motion to adjourn shall be always first in order, and shall be decided without debate; and on the

motions to lay on the table, to take from the table, for the previous question, to close debate at a specified time, to postpone to a time certain, to commit or recommit, not exceeding ten minutes shall be allowed for debate, and no member shall speak more than three minutes. (52.)

[Amended Feb. 19, 1878; Jan. 26, 1880; Feb. 2, 1891; March 14, 1899.]

[For application to be excused from voting, to be decided without debate, see Rule 64.]

[For call for yeas and nays, to be decided without debate, see Rule 69.]

[For questions of order, arising after the previous question is moved, to be decided without debate, except on appeal, see Rule 83.]

**80.** When a question is before the House, until it is disposed of, the Speaker shall receive no motion that does not relate to the same, except the motion to adjourn, or some other motion that has precedence either by express rule of the House, or because it is privileged in its nature; and he shall receive no motion relating to the same, except, —

to lay on the table,

See Rule 79.

for the previous question,

See Rules 79, 81–86.

to close the debate at a specified time,

See Rules 79, 85, 86.

to postpone to a time certain,

See Rules 79 and 87.

to commit (or recommit),

See Rules 79 and 88.

to amend,

See Rules 89–92.

to refer to the next General Court,

which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged in this rule. (46.)

[Amended Jan. 14, 1892.]

### *Previous Question.*

**81.** The previous question shall be put in the following form: “*Shall the main question be now put?*” — and all debate upon the main question shall be suspended until the previous question is decided.

**82.** On the previous question debate shall be allowed only to give reasons why the main question should not be put.

[Amended March 14, 1899.]

**83.** All questions of order arising after a motion is made for the previous question shall be decided without debate, excepting on appeal; and on such appeal, no member shall speak more than once without leave of the House.

[See Rule 94.]

**84.** The adoption of the previous question shall put an end to all debate except as provided in rule eighty-six, and bring the House to a direct vote upon pending amendments, if any, in their regular order, and then upon the main question.

[Amended Jan. 14, 1892; Jan. 13, 1893.]

*Motion to close Debate at a Specified Time.*

**85.** Debate may be closed at any time not less than thirty minutes from the adoption of a motion to that effect. In case the time is extended by unanimous consent, the same rule shall apply at the end of the extended time as at the time originally fixed. (47.)

[Amended Jan. 8, 1877; Jan. 15, 1880; March 14, 1899.]

[See the next rule.]

*When Debate is closed, Ten Minutes allowed, etc.*

**86.** When debate is closed by ordering the previous question, or by a vote to close debate at a specified time, the member in charge of the measure under consideration shall be allowed to speak ten minutes, and may grant to any other member any portion of his time. When the measure under consideration has been referred to the committee on Ways and Means, under

House rule forty-four, the member originally reporting it shall be considered in charge, except where the report of the committee on Ways and Means is substantially different from that referred to them, in which case the member originally reporting the measure, and the member of the committee on Ways and Means reporting thereon, shall each be allowed to speak five minutes, the latter to have the close. When the member entitled to speak under this rule is absent, the member standing first in order upon the committee reporting the measure, who is present and joined in the report, shall have the right to occupy such time.

[Amended March 28, 1877; Feb. 11, 1890; Jan. 13, 1893; Jan. 2, 1896.]

*Motion to Postpone to a Time Certain.*

**87.** When a motion is made to postpone to a time certain, and different times are proposed, the question shall first be taken on the most remote time; and the time shall be determined before the question is put on postponement, which may then be rejected if the House see fit. (51.)

*Motion to Commit.*

**88.** When a motion is made to commit, and different committees are proposed, the question shall be taken in the following order: —

- a standing committee of the House,
- a select committee of the House,
- a joint standing committee,
- a joint select committee;

and a subject may be recommitted to the same committee or to another committee at the pleasure of the House. (48.)

*Motions to Amend.*

**89.** A motion to amend an amendment may be received; but no amendment in the third degree shall be allowed.

**90.** No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment. (50.)

**91.** A question containing two or more propositions capable of division shall be divided whenever desired by any member. When a motion to strike out and insert is thus divided, the failure of the motion to strike out shall not preclude amendment; or, if the motion to strike out prevails, the matter proposed to be inserted shall be open to amendment before the question is taken on inserting it. (45.)

**92.** In filling blanks, the largest sum and longest time shall be put first. (51.)

*Enacting Clause.*

**93.** A motion to strike out the enacting clause of a bill shall only be received when the bill is before the House for enactment.

[Amended June 13, 1890.]

APPEAL.

**94.** No appeal from the decision of the Speaker shall be entertained unless it is seconded; and no other business shall be in order until the question on the appeal has been disposed of.

[See Rule 83.]

RESOLVES.

**95.** Such of these rules as are applicable to bills, whether of the House or of the Senate, shall apply like-

wise to such resolves as require the concurrence of the Senate and approval by the Governor, in order to become laws and have force as such; except in rule fifty-four the word "bill" shall be equivalent to the word "resolve" in the same place.

[Amended Jan. 13, 1893.]

#### ELECTIONS BY BALLOT.

96. A time shall be assigned for elections by ballot, at least one day previous thereto, except in the cases provided for in rule eight. (58.)

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891.]

#### SECRET SESSION.

97. All proceedings in secret session, and matters relating thereto, shall be kept secret until the House removes the injunction of secrecy.

#### SEATS.

98. (1.) The desk on the right of the Speaker shall be assigned to the use of the Clerk and such persons as he may employ to assist him, and that on the left to the use of the chairmen of the committees on Bills in the Third Reading and on Engrossed Bills.

(2.) The senior member of the House, and the oldest member of the House who is not the senior member, shall be allowed to select their seats from those not otherwise assigned, before the drawing of seats by the members.

[Amended Jan. 7, 1878.]

(3.) The seat numbered 30, in the first division, shall be assigned to the use of the chairman of the committee on the Judiciary; that numbered 6, in the third division, to the use of the member first named by the Speaker on the committee on Rules; and that numbered 13, in the fourth division, to the use of the chairman of the committee on Ways and Means.

[Amended Jan. 7, 1878; Jan. 6, 1882; Jan. 7, 1895; Jan. 2, 1896; Jan. 11, 1897; Jan. 10, 1898; Jan. 4, 1907.]

(4.) The following seats shall be assigned to the use of the monitors : —

Those numbered 86 and 78, in the first division ;  
77 and 72, in the second division ;  
71 and 66, in the third division ;  
65 and 57, in the fourth division.

[Amended Jan. 6, 1882; Jan. 7, 1895.]

(5.) The first business in order, after the appointment of standing committees and monitors is announced by the Speaker, shall be the drawing of the other seats upon the floor of the House.

(6.) The Clerk shall call the roll of the members in alphabetical order, omitting the names of the Speaker, the senior member, the oldest member, the chairmen of committees hereinbefore mentioned, and the monitors ; and the drawing shall be had in presence of the House, under the supervision of a committee of three selected from the members mentioned in this paragraph.

(7.) The seat assigned to any member, or drawn by him, shall be his seat for the year, unless an exchange is made and notice thereof given to the Sergeant-at-Arms within five days from the day of the drawing.

#### PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR.

99. The following persons shall be entitled to admission to the floor of the House, during the session thereof, to occupy seats not numbered : —

(1.) The Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, members of the Executive Council, Secretary of the Commonwealth, Treasurer and Receiver-General, Auditor, Attorney-General, Librarian and Assistant Librarian.

(2.) The members of the Senate.

(3.) Persons in the exercise of an official duty directly connected with the business of the House.

(4.) The legislative reporters assigned to seats in the reporters' gallery. (59.)

(5.) Contestants for seats in the House, whose papers are in the hands of the committee on Elections, may be admitted, while their cases are pending, to seats to be assigned by the Speaker.

No other person shall be admitted to the floor during the session except upon the permission of the Speaker. (60.) (61.)

[Adopted Jan. 10, 1890; amended Jan. 25, 1894; March 14, 1899.]

#### **REPRESENTATIVES' CHAMBER AND ADJOINING ROOMS.**

**100.** Use of the Representatives' Chamber shall not be granted except by a vote of four-fifths of the members present and voting thereon.

No person shall be admitted to the members' corridor and adjoining rooms, except persons entitled to the privilege of the floor of the House, unless upon written invitation, bearing the name of the person it is desired to invite and the name of the member extending the invitation, which invitation shall be surrendered upon the person entering the corridor. No legislative agent or counsel shall be admitted to said corridor and adjoining rooms.

No smoking shall be allowed in the writing room of the House or in the ladies' parlor.

No person shall be admitted to the north gallery of the House except upon a card of a member; and no person shall be so admitted except ladies, or gentlemen accompanied by ladies.

[Amended Feb. 2, 1891; Feb. 5, 1895; Feb. 6, 1900.]



PARLIAMENTARY PRACTICE.

**101.** The rules of parliamentary practice shall govern the House in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with these rules or the joint rules of the two branches. (62.)

DEBATE ON MOTIONS FOR THE SUSPENSION OF RULES.

**102.** Debate upon a motion for the suspension of any of the joint rules or House rules shall be limited to fifteen minutes, and no member shall occupy more than three minutes.

[Amended Feb. 11, 1889; June 13, 1890; Feb. 2, 1891.]

SUSPENSION, AMENDMENT AND REPEAL.

**103.** Nothing in these rules shall be dispensed with, altered or repealed, unless two-thirds of the members present consent thereto; but this rule, and rules forty-one, forty-nine, fifty, sixty-two, seventy, ninety-nine and one hundred, shall not be suspended, unless by unanimous consent of the members present. (63.)

[Amended Jan. 10, 1890; June 13, 1890; Feb. 2, 1891; Jan. 13, 1893.]

**104.** All motions to suspend the ninth or twelfth joint rule, or House rule thirty-two, all questions on concurring with the Senate in the suspension of either of said joint rules, all motions or orders authorizing committees of the House to travel or to employ stenographers, and all propositions involving special investigations by committees of the House, shall be referred without debate to the committee on Rules, who, within fourteen days after such reference, shall report thereon, recommending what action should be taken. On all questions on the suspension of the ninth joint rule, or House rule thirty-two, the committee shall report adversely, unless

evidence satisfactory to the committee is produced that the petitioners have previously given notice, by public advertisement or otherwise, equivalent to that required by chapter 3 of the Revised Laws. (13A.)

[Adopted Jan. 10, 1898; amended March 14, 1899; Jan. 22, 1904; Feb. 21, 1905.]

#### QUORUM.

**105.** One hundred and twenty-one members shall constitute a quorum for the organization of the House and the transaction of business.

[Adopted Feb. 8, 1892.]

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## JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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### *Committees.*

1. Joint standing committees shall be appointed at the beginning of the political year as follows : —

- A committee on Agriculture ;
- A committee on Banks and Banking ;
- A committee on Constitutional Amendments ;
- A committee on Counties ;
- A committee on Drainage ;
- A committee on Education ;
- A committee on Election Laws ;
- A committee on Federal Relations ;
- A committee on Fisheries and Game ;
- A committee on Labor :
- A committee on Legal Affairs ;
- A committee on Libraries ;
- A committee on the Liquor Law ;
- A committee on Military Affairs ;
- A committee on Parishes and Religious Societies ;
- A committee on Printing ;
- A committee on Prisons ;
- A committee on Public Charitable Institutions ;
- A committee on Public Health ;
- A committee on Public Service ;
- A committee on Roads and Bridges ;
- A committee on State House ;
- A committee on Towns ;
- A committee on Water Supply ;

Each to consist of three members on the part of the Senate, and eight on the part of the House ;

- A committee on Cities ;
- A committee on Harbors and Public Lands ;
- A committee on Insurance ;
- A committee on Mercantile Affairs ;
- A committee on Metropolitan Affairs ;
- A committee on Public Lighting ;
- A committee on Railroads ;
- A committee on Street Railways ;
- A committee on Taxation ;

Each to consist of four members on the part of the Senate, and eleven on the part of the House.

Matters referred by either the Senate or the House to its committee on the Judiciary, on Ways and Means, or on Rules shall be considered by the respective committees of the two branches, acting as joint committees, when, in the judgment of the chairmen of the respective committees of the two branches, the interests of legislation or the expedition of business will be better served by such joint consideration. Matters may also be referred respectively to the committees on the Judiciary, on Ways and Means, and on Rules, of the two branches, as joint committees.

The committees on Rules, together with the presiding officers of the two branches, acting as a joint committee, may consider and suggest such measures as shall, in their judgment, tend to facilitate the business of the session. [Amended Jan. 6, 1882; Jan. 5, 1883; Jan. 7, 1884; Jan. 8, 1885; Jan. 26, 1885; Jan. 8, 1886; Jan. 12, 1887; Jan. 9, 1888; Jan. 28, 1889; Jan. 8, 1890; Feb. 2, 1891; Jan. 11, 1892; Feb. 10, 1892; Feb. 7, 1893; Jan. 8, 1894; Jan. 7, 1895; Jan. 7, 1896; Jan. 11, 1897; Jan. 10, 1898; Jan. 9, 1899; Jan. 22 and Jan. 29, 1901; Jan. 6, 1902; Jan. 9, 1903; Jan. 8, 1904; Jan. 6, 1905; and Jan. 4, 1907.]

**2.** No member of either branch shall act as counsel for any party before any committee of the Legislature.

**3.** No committee of the Senate or the House shall travel unless authorized by a vote of two-thirds of the members of its branch present and voting. No joint committee shall travel unless authorized by a concurrent vote of two-thirds of the members of each branch present and voting. No committee shall travel except at the expense of the Commonwealth. In any case when a committee is authorized to travel, the Sergeant-at-Arms shall provide transportation only for members of the committee and the officer accompanying them, and the reasonable travelling expenses of such members and officers only shall be charged to or paid by the Commonwealth. Neither the Sergeant-at-Arms nor the officer detailed by him shall permit any person to accompany such committee while in the discharge of its official duties unless invited by vote of the committee.

All bills for the travelling expenses of committees shall, in such form and detail as may be prescribed by the Auditor of the Commonwealth, be submitted by the Sergeant-at-Arms to the committee by whom they have been incurred; and such bills, before they are presented to the Auditor of the Commonwealth, shall first be approved by a majority of the committee incurring them. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall procure from the Auditor and shall, on the first Monday in each month, transmit to the General Court in print a statement of all such bills which have been presented to the Auditor during the preceding month. [Adopted Feb. 7, 1890. Amended Feb. 2, 1891, and Jan. 20, 1904.]

**4.** Joint committees may report by bill, resolve, or otherwise, to either branch, at their discretion, having

reference to an equal distribution of business between the two branches, except that money bills shall be reported to the House; and except that when a report is made from any committee to either branch, and the subject-matter thereof is subsequently referred therein to a joint committee, such committee shall report its action to the branch in which the original report was made. [See also next rule.]

**5.** Reports of joint committees may be recommitted to the same committees at the pleasure of the branch first acting thereon, and bills or resolves may be recommitted in either branch, but no such recommitment shall be made after the fourth Wednesday in March. A concurrent vote shall, however, be necessary for the recommitment of such reports, bills, or resolves, with instructions. After recommitment, report shall, in all cases, be made to the branch originating the recommitment. [Amended Feb. 2, 1891.]

**6.** Bills and resolves reported by joint committees shall be printed or fairly written in a legible hand, without material erasure or interlineation, and on not less than one sheet of paper, with suitable margins, and with spaces between the several sections. Dates and numbers shall be printed or written in words at length. [Amended Jan. 28, 1889.]

**7.** Whenever, upon any application for an act of incorporation or other legislation, the purpose for which such legislation is sought can be secured without detriment to the public interests by a general law or under existing laws, the committee to which the matter is referred shall report such general law, or "leave to withdraw," or "ought not to pass." [Amended Feb. 2, 1891, and Feb. 7, 1893.]

*Notice to Parties Interested.*

8. No legislation affecting the rights of individuals or the rights of a private or municipal corporation, otherwise than as it affects generally the people of the whole Commonwealth or the people of the city or town to which it specifically applies, shall be proposed or introduced except by a petition, nor shall any bill or resolve embodying such legislation be reported by a committee except upon a petition duly referred, nor shall such a bill or resolve be reported by a committee, whether on an original reference or on a recommitment with instructions to hear the parties, until it is made to appear to the satisfaction of the committee that proper notice of the proposed legislation has been given by public advertisement or otherwise to all parties interested, without expense to the Commonwealth, or until evidence satisfactory to the committee is produced that all parties interested have in writing waived notice. A committee reporting leave to withdraw or reference to the next General Court for want of proper notice or of a waiver thereof shall set forth this fact in its report, and no bill or resolve shall be in order as a substitute for, or amendment of, such report. Objection to the violation of this rule may be taken at any stage prior to that of the third reading. [Adopted Feb. 7, 1890.]

9. A petition for the incorporation of a town or city, or for the division of an existing town or city, or for the incorporation of a railroad, street railway, elevated railroad or canal company, or for the amendment, alteration or extension of the charter or corporate powers or privileges of any such company, either specially incorporated or organized under general laws, or for authority to take water for a water supply, or relative to

building structures over navigable or tide waters, shall be referred to the next General Court, and not to a committee, unless the petitioner has given the notice required by chapter 3 of the Revised Laws, or by other provisions of law. A petition for the incorporation of a college or university or other educational institution, with power to grant degrees, or for an amendment of the charter of an existing educational institution so that the said institution, not having such power, shall thereafter have power to grant degrees, shall also be referred to the next General Court, and not to a committee, unless the petitioner has given the notice required by chapter 3 of the Revised Laws. But if, no objection being raised, any such petition is referred to a committee without such required notice, the committee shall forthwith report reference to the next General Court, setting forth as the reason for such report failure to give the required notice, unless evidence satisfactory to the committee is produced that all parties interested have in writing waived notice. In case a bill or resolve is reported by a committee upon such a petition, after proof of such waiver of notice, this fact shall be set forth in the report of the committee. When a report of reference to the next General Court is made by a committee on account of failure to give the required notice, no bill or resolve shall be substituted for such report, nor shall such report be recommitted or referred to another committee; but reference of the petition to the next General Court for want of proper notice under this rule shall not affect action upon any other measure involving the same subject-matter. [Adopted Feb. 7, 1890. Amended Feb. 2, 1891; Feb. 3, 1898; and Jan. 16, 1903.]



*Limit of Time allowed for Reports of Committees.*

10. Joint committees shall make final report upon all matters previously referred to them, on or before the second Wednesday in March; but, except as provided in Rule No. 29, the time within which they are required to report upon such matters may be extended, by concurrent vote, until a day not later than the second Wednesday in April. When the time within which such joint committees are required to report has expired, all matters upon which no report has then been made shall, within three legislative days thereafter, be reported by the chairman of the committee on the part of the branch in which they were respectively introduced, with a recommendation of reference to the next General Court under this rule. This rule shall not be rescinded, amended or suspended, except by a concurrent vote of four-fifths of the members of each branch present and voting thereon. [Amended Feb. 2, 1891; Jan. 25, 1894; Jan. 16, 1903; and Jan. 20, 1904.]

*Committees of Conference.*

11. Committees of conference shall consist of three members on the part of each branch, representing its vote; and their report, if agreed to by a majority of each committee, shall be made to the branch asking the conference, and may be either accepted or rejected, but no other action shall be had, except through a new committee of conference.

*Limit of Time allowed for New Business.*

12. Resolutions, and petitions, memorials, bills and resolves introduced on leave, and all other subjects of legislation, except reports required to be made to the Legislature, deposited with the Clerk of either branch

subsequently to five o'clock in the afternoon on the third Saturday of the session, shall, when presented, be referred to the next General Court; but this rule shall not apply to petitions in aid of, and remonstrances against, legislation already introduced and pending; nor shall it apply to a petition offered in place of a former one having in view the same object, upon which, before reference to a committee, leave to withdraw was given because the same was not in proper form, provided that such subsequent petition is deposited with the Clerk of either branch within one week from the day on which leave to withdraw was given; nor shall it apply to a bill or resolve introduced on leave or to a resolution presented subsequently to five o'clock in the afternoon on the third Saturday of the session, when such bill, resolve or resolution is based upon the report of a joint committee which has been made in compliance with instructions to report facts or to investigate, provided the said bill, resolve or resolution is introduced within one week after the committee's report is submitted. This rule shall not be rescinded, amended or suspended, except by a concurrent vote of four-fifths of the members of each branch present and voting thereon: *provided, however*, that, except by unanimous consent, it shall not be suspended with reference to a petition for legislation when such petition is not accompanied by a bill or a resolve embodying the legislation requested. [Amended Feb. 7, 1890; Feb. 2, 1891; Feb. 7, 1893; Jan. 10, 1898; Jan. 9, 1899; Feb. 15, 1901; and May 4, 1904.]

*Requests for Legislation to be deposited with the Clerks.*

13. Petitions and memorials, accompanied by bills or resolves embodying the subject-matter prayed for, bills and resolves for introduction on leave, and all other subjects of legislation, and all resolutions and

orders of inquiry, intended for presentation to the General Court by any member, shall be deposited with the Clerk of the branch to which such member belongs, and shall be laid before such branch not later than at the session of the fourth legislative day succeeding the day on which the same have been so deposited. [Adopted Feb. 7, 1890. Amended Feb. 2, 1891; Feb. 7, 1893; and Jan. 25, 1894.]

14. The joint committee on Rules shall have authority to prescribe the manner and form of keeping the dockets of legislative counsel and agents which are required by law. [Adopted Feb. 2, 1891.]

*Duties of the Clerks.*

15. If any part of the report of a committee over the signature of the chairman or members of the committee is amended in either branch, the Clerk of that branch shall endorse upon the report such amendment.

16. All papers, while on their passage between the two branches, may be under the signature of the respective Clerks, except bills and resolves in their last stage. Messages may be sent by such persons as each branch may direct.

17. After bills have passed both branches to be engrossed, they shall be in the charge of the Clerks of the two branches, who shall deliver the same to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, to be engrossed in the manner prescribed by law; and when engrossed the said Clerks shall forthwith deliver the same to the committee of the House of Representatives on Engrossed Bills; and when the same have passed to be enacted in that House, they shall, in like manner, be delivered to the committee of the Senate on Engrossed Bills.

**18.** If any petition, memorial, bill, resolve or order, presented or originating in one branch, is adversely acted upon in the other, notice thereof shall be given, under the signature of the Clerk, to the branch in which the same originated.

**19.** The Clerk of the branch in which a bill originated shall make an endorsement thereon, certifying in which branch the same originated, which endorsement shall be entered on the journals by the Clerks respectively. [Amended Jan. 28, 1889.]

*Printing and Distribution of Documents.*

**20.** The committee on Printing may make regulations for the distribution of all documents printed or assigned for the use of the Legislature not otherwise disposed of, and such regulations shall be reported to and be subject to the order of the two branches.

Under the general order to print a report, bill or other document, the number printed shall be nine hundred.

Leave to report in print shall not be construed to authorize the printing of extended reports of evidence.

Bills, reports and other documents, printed under the general order of either branch, shall be distributed as follows, to wit: two copies to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives (to be placed on his file under the direction of the Sergeant-at-Arms, if desired by the member); three copies to each Clerk in either branch, and three copies to each reporter in regular attendance, to whom a seat has been assigned in either branch; twenty copies to the Executive; twenty copies to the Secretary's office; six copies to the State Library; one copy to each Public Library in the Commonwealth, which shall make due application therefor to the Sergeant-at-Arms, and shall make proper provi-

sion for the transmission and preservation thereof; and, when the document is the report of a committee, ten copies shall be assigned to the committee making the report. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall preserve as many as may be necessary for the permanent files to be placed in the lobbies, and distribute the remainder under such regulations as may be prescribed by said joint committee. [Amended Jan. 8, 1886, and Jan. 28, 1889.]

**21.** Bills, resolves and other papers requiring the approval of the Governor shall be laid before him for his approbation by the Clerk of the Senate, who shall enter upon the journal of the Senate the day on which the same were so laid before the Governor. [Amended Jan. 28, 1889.]

*Constitutional Amendments.*

**22.** All resolves proposing amendments to the Constitution shall have three several readings in each branch, and the question upon agreeing to an amendment to the Constitution shall be taken by yeas and nays. [Amended Jan. 28, 1889.]

*Joint Conventions.*

**23.** The President of the Senate shall preside in Conventions of the two branches, and such Conventions shall be holden in the Representatives' Chamber; the Clerk of the Senate shall be Clerk of the Convention, and a record of the proceedings of the Convention shall be entered at large on the journals of both branches.

**24.** When an agreement has been made by the two branches to go into Convention, such agreement shall not be altered or annulled, except by concurrent vote.

**25.** No business shall be entered on, in Convention, other than that which may be agreed on before the Convention is formed.

*Joint Elections.*

**26.** In all elections by joint ballot a time shall be assigned therefor at least one day previous to such election.

*Elections of United States Senators.*

**27.** The joint assembly required to be held by the statutes of the United States, relating to the elections for Senators in Congress, shall be deemed a Convention of the two branches, and the proceedings therein shall be in accordance with the provisions of said statutes. The President of the Convention shall receive no motion on any day until one vote for Senator has been taken. After one vote for Senator has been taken, no motion shall be in order except a motion to adjourn, for a recess, or to proceed to vote for Senator; and these motions shall have precedence in the order of their arrangement, and shall be decided without debate. If a motion is made for a recess, and different times are proposed, the question shall first be taken on the most remote time; and the time shall be determined, but without debate, before the question is put upon taking the recess. On either of the questions permitted by this rule, the sense of the Convention shall be taken by yeas and nays whenever required by one-fifth of the members present. When the yeas and nays are taken, the roll of the Convention shall be called in alphabetical order; and no member shall be allowed to vote who was not on the floor when his name was called or before the roll-call was finished. The call for the yeas and nays shall be decided without debate.

**28.** All motions or orders authorizing joint committees to travel or to employ stenographers and all propositions involving special investigations by joint committees shall be referred without debate to the joint committee on Rules, who, within fourteen days after such reference, shall report thereon, recommending what action should be taken. [Adopted Jan. 10, 1898. Amended Jan. 20, 1904.]

**29.** All motions or orders extending, beyond the second Wednesday in April, the time within which joint committees are required to report shall be referred without debate to the joint committee on Rules. No such extension beyond that time shall be granted, against the recommendation of the joint committee on Rules, except by a four-fifths vote of the members of each branch present and voting thereon. This rule shall not be rescinded, amended or suspended, except by a concurrent vote of four-fifths of the members of each branch present and voting thereon. [Adopted Jan. 16, 1903.]

**30.** A member of either branch who directly or indirectly solicits for himself or others any position or office within the gift or control of a railroad corporation, street railway company, gas or electric light company, telegraph or telephone company, aqueduct or water company, or other public service corporation, shall be subject to suspension therefor, or to such other penalty as the branch of which he is a member may see fit to impose. [Adopted May 22, 1902.]

**31.** Any joint rule except the tenth, twelfth and twenty-ninth may be altered, suspended or rescinded by a concurrent vote of two-thirds of the members of each branch present and voting thereon. [Amended Feb. 7, 1893. Adopted in revised form Jan. 9, 1899. Amended Jan. 16, 1903.]





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**POWER OF PRESIDING OFFICERS TO DECIDE CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS.** — In a decision on a money bill, in which it was held that it was within the province of the chair to decide the constitutional question involved, the following statement was made: "It is of course not intended to assume to the chair any right of decision as to the constitutionality of matters of legislation in relation to their substance; but where the question relates to form and manner of proceeding in legislation, or, in other words, is one of order, it is the duty of the chair to rule upon the same, although it may depend upon the provisions of the Constitution for its solution." Cases of a proposition to adjourn for more than two days, of proceedings without a quorum, of a faulty enacting form, and of neglecting to take the yeas and nays on a vetoed bill, are cited. PITMAN, S. 1869, p. 341. See also JEWELL, H. 1868, p. 386; STONE, H. 1866, p. 436; BUTLER, S. 1894, pp. 555, 648; BUTLER, S. 1895, p. 378; DARLING (acting President), S. 1895, p. 578; MEYER, H. 1894, pp. 509, 1399.

It is not within the province of the chair to rule out a bill on the point of order that the bill is not properly before the House for the reason that it was not returned by the Governor with his objections thereto in writing within the time fixed by the Constitution. MEYER, H. 1894, p. 1399. A point of order having been raised that a proposed amend-

ment was not in order for the reason that it was unconstitutional, it was held that it was not within the province of the chair to decide as to the constitutionality of the amendment. BATES, H. 1897, p. 979.

For further rulings regarding the power of the presiding officer to decide constitutional questions, see MEYER, H. 1896, p. 254; MYERS, H. 1901, p. 1352. See also notes on "Courtesy between the Branches," under the heading "Sundry Rulings."

CHAP. I., SECT. I., ART. II. — "*No bill or resolve.*" See LONG, H. 1878, p. 58; NOYES, H. 1880, p. 123.

"*Laid before the Governor for his revisal.*" If either branch desires for any reason to revise an enacted bill, joint action of the two branches must be had, and the motion should be one providing that a message be sent by the two branches requesting the Governor to return the bill to the Senate. JEWELL, H. 1869, p. 645. Notwithstanding this ruling, it is customary for the Senate, when it desires to revise an enacted bill, to request the return of the bill, without asking the concurrent action of the House.

"*Who shall enter the objections . . . and proceed to reconsider the same.*" In a case in which a resolve and the objections thereto were laid on the table, it was held that it was then out of order to introduce a new resolve of a similar nature. GOODWIN, H. 1890, p. 613.

"*But if, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of the said Senate or House of Representatives shall, notwithstanding the said objections, agree to pass the same, it shall, together with the objections, be sent to the other branch of the Legislature, where it shall also be reconsidered, and if approved by two-thirds of the members present, shall have the force of a law.*" Under this provision it has been held that in the branch first taking action a vote of two-thirds of the members present is sufficient to pass a bill. CLIFFORD, S. 1862, p. 625;

BULLOCK, H. 1862, p. 586. See also *Walker v. State*, 12 S. C. 200; *Frillsen v. Mahan*, 21 La. Ann. 79. *Contra*, see *Co. of Cass v. Johnston*, 95 U. S. 360.

In 1862, in a case in which, the President not voting, 33 votes were cast, of which 22 were in favor of the passage of the bill, it was held that the record of the yeas and nays was the only evidence of the number or the names of the members present, and that the necessary two-thirds had been obtained. CLIFFORD, S. 1862, p. 625. Later decisions do not support this position. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 564; PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 584; HARTWELL, S. 1889, p. 589; BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 226. See also House Rule 67. See *Brown v. Nash*, 1 Wyoming Terr. 85.

It is permissible to reconsider a vote refusing to pass a bill over the Executive veto, notwithstanding the first vote is described in the Constitution as a reconsideration of the bill. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 583; FROTHINGHAM, H. 1905, p. 1098. But see *Sank v. Phila.*, 4 Brewster, 133. *Wilson's Digest*, 2058.

CHAP. I., SECT. I., ART. IV. — “*All manner of wholesome and reasonable orders.*” See LONG, H. 1878, p. 60.

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CHAP. I., SECT. II., ART. VI. — “*Provided such adjournments do not exceed two days at a time.*” Sunday is not to be counted, but Fast Day must be counted. JEWELL, H. 1868, p. 311; STONE, H. 1867, p. 270.

CHAP. I., SECT. III., ART. VI. — For a case of an arraignment of a State official at the bar of the House, see HALE, H. 1859, p. 149.

CHAP. I., SECT. III., ART. VII. — “ *All money bills shall originate in the House of Representatives.*” The exclusive constitutional privilege of the House of Representatives to originate money bills is limited to bills that transfer money or property from the people to the State, and does not include bills that appropriate money from the treasury of the Commonwealth to particular uses of the government or bestow it upon individuals or corporations. The Senate can originate a bill or resolve appropriating money from the treasury of the Commonwealth, or directly or indirectly involving expenditure of money from the treasury, or imposing a burden or charge thereon. OPINION OF JUSTICES, S. 1878, appendix; 126 Mass. Reports, 596; COGSWELL, S. 1878, p. 279; PITMAN, S. 1869, p. 340. See, *contra*, LONG, H. 1878, pp. 197, 563; JEWELL, H. 1869, p. 630; JEWELL, H. 1868, p. 385. See LORING, S. 1873, p. 409, for opinion that money bills should be allowed to originate in either branch. It is the duty of the presiding officer of the Senate to observe with punctilious care the constitutional prerogatives of the House of Representatives. Without waiting for a point of order to be raised, he should cause a money bill which originates in the Senate to be laid aside or recommitted. In such case the action on the bill previously taken by the Senate is to be considered as not having been taken. BUTLER, S. 1894, p. 555; BUTLER, S. 1895, p. 378. See also SOULE, S. 1901, p. 753.

It was formerly held that bills designating certain property as subject to or exempted from taxation, as well as bills imposing a tax in terms, were “money bills.” BISHOP, S. 1881, p. 419; PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 811. See also SANFORD, H. 1873, p. 283; STONE, H. 1866, p. 436. Later, an important bill exempting certain kinds of personal property from taxation was held not to be a “money bill.” In rendering his decision, President BUTLER called attention to the fact that conditions which led to the adoption of this constitutional provision no longer exist, that the

members of the Senate, like the members of the House, are now elected directly by the people, that the property qualifications of senators have been abolished, that representation in both branches alike is based on the number of legal voters, and that there remains no reason or excuse for construing into the Constitution a prohibition which does not clearly appear, that the bill was not in itself a proposition to impose a tax, and that in determining the point of order it was unnecessary to conjecture what results might accrue from its passage. BUTLER, S. 1895, p. 787.

But it has been held that a bill exempting from taxation certain property in a particular town is not a "money bill." PILLSBURY (acting President), S. 1884, p. 259.

The words "money bill" do not cover bills merely creating a debt, but only bills relating to the taking of money or property from the people for the payment of a debt, or for some other public purpose. DANA, S. 1906, p. 1033.

A bill is considered as originating in that branch in which it is first acted upon. BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 759.

For a case in which the Senate instructed a committee to report a bill to the House, see PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 702.

CHAP. I., SECT. III., ART. VIII. — "*Provided such adjournments shall not exceed two days at a time.*" Sunday is not to be counted, but Fast Day must be counted. JEWELL, H. 1868, p. 311; STONE, H. 1867, p. 270. See also MEYER, H. 1895, p. 1313.

CHAP. I., SECT. III., ART. X. — "*And settle the rules and orders of proceeding in their own House.*" See LONG, H. 1878, p. 60.

CHAP. VI., ART. II. — "*But their being chosen or appointed to, and accepting the same, shall operate as a resignation of their seat in the Senate or House of Representatives.*" It is not within the province of the chair to decide whether a member has forfeited his membership by accept-

ing an office incompatible with his seat in the Legislature. **HALE**, H. 1859, p. 48.

**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT, VIII.** — See note to Constitution, Chap. VI., Art. II.

**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT, IX.** — An amendment of the Constitution may be amended on the second year of its consideration, but such action will necessitate its reference to the next Legislature. **BISHOP**, S. 1880, p. 321; **NOYES**, H. 1880, p. 57; **DEWEY** (acting Speaker), H. 1890, p. 369.

It has also been held that an amendment to the Constitution cannot be amended on the second year of its consideration. **PHELPS**, H. 1857, p. 906; **PHELPS**, S. 1859, p. 323.

A vote agreeing to an article of amendment of the Constitution can be reconsidered. **MARDEN**, H. 1883, pp. 377, 422-427.

As to the method of procedure in acting on an amendment on the second year, and in providing for its submission to the people, see **NOYES**, H. 1881, p. 466. See also **MEYER**, H. 1896, pp. 255, 269.

**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT, XXXIII.** — See note to House Rule 68.

It is immaterial that a quorum does not vote if a quorum is present. **PILLSBURY**, S. 1885, p. 584; **HARTWELL**, S. 1889, p. 589. See note to House Rule 67, and note to Senate Rules under "Voting." *Contra*, see **CLIFFORD**, S. 1862, p. 625.

As to what constitutes a quorum of the Senate, see opinion of the Attorney-General, House Doc. No. 38 (1892).

In ascertaining the presence of a quorum, senators who are in the chamber but do not answer to their names when the roll is called are to be counted. **SOULE**, S. 1901, p. 1014.

## NOTES OF RULINGS

ON THE

### SENATE RULES.

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#### THE PRESIDENT.

The President has no power, either by general parliamentary law or by special authority vested in him by the Senate, to cause any document to be printed or distributed, or to prevent any document from being printed or distributed; and, upon the simple request of a member of the Senate, he has no authority to issue an order to the Sergeant-at-Arms to remove from the desks and files of the senators a report, portions of which are claimed to be unparliamentary. CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 489, 575.

#### CLERK.

**RULE 8.** The suspension of this rule by itself does not take a bill out of the possession of the Clerk, nor does it preclude reconsideration moved in accordance with Senate Rule 53. JONES, S. 1904, p. 802.

This rule does not apply to a bill which is referred to the committee on Ways and Means under the Senate rule relating to bills involving the expenditure of public money. SMITH, S. 1900, p. 885.

See notes to House Rule 70.

*“Except petitions, bills and resolves introduced on leave, orders of inquiry,”* etc. As to the reason for these exceptions and their effect, see LORING, S. 1873, pp. 295, 299.

It would seem that the right to reconsider the enactment of a bill, the reference of a petition or bill, or the adoption of an order, should expire when the bill, petition or order passes out of the hands of the Clerk.

#### **MEMBERS OF THE SENATE.**

**RULE 10.** See notes to House Rule 63. .

#### **COMMITTEES.**

**RULE 12.** For sundry rulings as to committees, see notes on the Joint Rules, under the head of "Committees."

*"A committee on Ways and Means" (formerly, "on the Treasury").* See notes to House Rules 20, 25.

**RULE 15.** A bill relating to the appointment of certain officers of the city of Boston was held not to be a special bill. JONES, S. 1904, p. 210.

A bill relating to the taxation of telegraph companies was held not to come within the provisions of this section, although it appeared that there might be but one such company in existence. HARTWELL, S. 1889, p. 732. See also notes to House Rule 31 and Joint Rule 8.

**RULE 16.** A special act, as distinguished from a general law, is one which directly affects individuals as such differently from the class to which they belong or from the people at large. PILLSBURY, S. 1885, pp. 558, 589. It is not within the province of the chair to rule that the object of an application can be secured under existing laws, or without detriment to the public interests by a general law. This question must be determined by the committee (PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 588; HARWOOD, acting President, S. 1899, pp. 249, 761), unless it appears on the face of the papers that the object can be secured under existing laws. PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 700. For a case in which it was held not to be



allowable to substitute a general law for a special act, see PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 589.

See notes to House Rules 30 and 31, and to Joint Rule 7.

#### FORM OF BILLS AND RESOLVES.

RULE 17. Objection that this rule is violated cannot be sustained in the case of a House bill. PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 582.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BUSINESS.

RULE 23. See note to House Rule 47.

*" Unless received from the House of Representatives."* A bill coming from the House must be entertained even though it is not germane to the petition upon which it is based. PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 470.

See notes on "Courtesy between the Branches," under the heading "Sundry Rulings," at the end of the notes on the Joint Rules.

RULE 24. For cases in which an order has been held to be unparliamentary in form, see SPRAGUE, S. 1890, p. 189; PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 140.

#### COURSE OF PROCEEDINGS.

RULE 27. The question being on ordering to a third reading a bill involving the expenditure of public money, the point of order was raised that the bill had not been referred to the committee on Ways and Means. The point of order was held to be well taken and the bill was referred. SMITH, S. 1898, p. 759. See also notes on House Rule 44.

RULE 28. The subsequent rejection of a bill substituted for a report of a committee recommending "no legislation" does not revive the question upon the adoption of the recommendation of the report. The requirement that every bill shall be read three times does not render the

substitution liable to be nullified by the rejection of the bill at a subsequent stage. BISHOP, S. 1881, p. 212.

**RULE 31.** For a case in which a bill was held to have been substantially changed, see SMITH, S. 1900, p. 487.

**RULE 33.** Notwithstanding this rule, a motion to instruct the committee to report on a bill forthwith is in order. For sundry other rulings in a case in which, such instructions having been given and not having been complied with, some of the members of the committee were held to be in contempt, see JONES, S. 1903, pp. 769, 771, 778.

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY.**

See note to House Rule 61.

#### **RULES OF DEBATE.**

See notes upon this division of the House Rules.

#### **MOTIONS.**

See notes upon this division of the House Rules.

A motion in its nature trivial and absurd will not be entertained. SPRAGUE, S. 1890, p. 189; PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 140.

The Senate having passed a general order that the reading of the Journal should be dispensed with unless otherwise ordered, it was held that a senator could not require the reading of the Journal without a vote to that effect, and that a motion that the Journal be read was not a question of privilege. CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 290.

**APPEALS.** When Cushing was by rule the sole authority governing the Senate, it was held, in accordance with Cushing's Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies (Sect. 1467), that a question on an appeal could be laid on the table; and if such action was taken, the matter, whatever it was, which gave rise to the appeal, proceeded as if

no appeal had been taken. CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 288, 289. In the House it has been held that a motion to lay an appeal on the table is not in order. See MARDEN, H. 1883, p. 582. See also notes to House Rule 94.

It is to be noted that the Senate was required to follow Cushing's statement of Parliamentary Law, while the House, by its Rule 101, was simply required to conform to the rules of parliamentary practice.

In Crocker's Principles of Procedure it is held that an appeal cannot be laid upon the table separately from the proceedings out of which the point of order arose. Crocker's Principles of Procedure, Sect. 94.

**RULE 45.** For an instance in which it was held that the adoption of an amendment inserting certain words precluded, except through reconsideration, striking out such words in part at the same stage of the bill, see SMITH, S. 1900, p. 530.

See notes to House Rule 91.

**RULE 46.** "*To adjourn.*" It was held that when, upon a motion to adjourn, the yeas and nays had begun before the time fixed for adjournment and had ended after that time, and the Senate had voted in the negative upon the motion, the refusal to adjourn had the effect of suspending the operation of the order relative to adjournment, and was equivalent to otherwise ordering. MORSE (acting President), S. 1896, p. 912.

A motion to adjourn having been lost, a second motion to adjourn was held not to be in order when the only intervening business had been the rejection of a motion to postpone further consideration of the pending bill. DANA, S. 1906, p. 496.

See notes to House Rule 79.

"*Or some other motion which has precedence.*" Where the Senate assigned one matter for 2.30 P.M., and one

matter for 3 P.M., it was held to be the duty of the presiding officer to call up the second assignment at 3 P.M., even though the consideration of the first assignment was not finished. PITMAN, S. 1889, p. 316. See notes to House Rule 80.

*"To lay on the table."* Pending the consideration of one of the Orders of the Day, a motion to lay the Orders of the Day on the table is admissible. CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 287.

A motion to postpone laying the orders on the table is inadmissible. CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 287.

When Cushing was the sole authority governing the Senate, it was held that, if a motion to reconsider is laid upon the table, or is postponed to a specified time, the pending bill does not go with it. See PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 627. *Contra*, see Crocker's Principles of Procedure, Sect. 62, and appendix note thereto. See also Senate Rule 62.

*"To close debate at a specified time."* See note to House Rule 80.

A motion that the debate be closed in one hour is admissible, although, under a general order, the Senate would adjourn before the expiration of the hour. CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 286.

After the time for closing debate has arrived, the taking of the question cannot be postponed by a motion to adjourn or to commit, or that the Journal be read, and these motions cannot then be entertained. CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 288, 289.

If a motion to close debate in one hour is reconsidered, the question does not recur upon the original motion, because that motion, owing to the lapse of time, is out of order. The debate will proceed without limitation unless a new motion to close it is made. PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 589.

*"To commit (or recommit)."* A motion to recommit, with instructions to report a bill broader in its scope than

the measures upon which the bill is based, is out of order. PINKERTON, S. 1892, p. 266.

“*To amend.*” A substitute which, by Rule 28, must have three several readings on three successive days, can be amended in the second degree. COOLIDGE, S. 1870, p. 416.

It is not out of order to substitute an entire bill for another entire bill. BRASTOW, S. 1868, p. 48. See also Senate Rule 28.

The substitution of a question on the rejection of an order for a question on the passage of the order is not a parliamentary substitution, because one is simply the negative of the other. CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 575, 578.

If an amendment has been once rejected, the same or substantially the same amendment cannot again be moved at the same stage of the bill, but the rejection of the amendment may be reconsidered. HOWLAND (acting President), S. 1886, p. 611; BRADFORD (acting President), S. 1895, p. 715. So also an amendment embodying a rejected amendment cannot be entertained at the same stage. PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 471. As to whether an amendment is similar to one previously acted upon, see SOULE, S. 1901, p. 989. An amendment which has been rejected at one stage of a bill can be offered again at a subsequent stage. JONES, S. 1903, p. 941.

See notes to House Rule 90.

**RULE 50.** According to Cushing's Manual, Sect. 102, amendments proposing subjects different from those under consideration would be in order if they were not excluded by special rule. *Contra*, see Crocker's Principles of Procedure, Sect. 44. See also BRASTOW, S. 1868, p. 51.

If a committee reports only in part, amendments must be germane to that portion of the subject which is reported on. CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 86.

Amendments are admissible if they are germane to any portion of the subject-matter which is the basis of a committee's report. SPRAGUE, S. 1891, p. 715. See also SOULE, S. 1901, p. 1049.

An amendment may be inadmissible on the ground that it introduces a subject different from that under consideration, although it would operate as a limitation on the terms of the bill. BUTLER, S. 1894, pp. 644, 656-658.

Inasmuch as a bill coming from the House must be entertained, even though it is not germane to the petition upon which it is based, it seems that in such cases amendments which are germane to the bill are admissible, although they may not be germane to the petition. PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 493.

See also notes to Senate Rule 23.

An amendment which, if adopted, would render the bill inoperative, may nevertheless be germane. PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 556.

Amendments changing a special act into a general law are admissible because, under Senate Rule 16, the committee could have reported a general law. PINKERTON, S. 1892, p. 707.

But a general law reported on a petition for general legislation cannot be so amended as to change it into a special act. PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 493. See also LAWRENCE, S. 1897, p. 427; SMITH, S. 1900, p. 873.

Upon the question whether a proposed amendment would change a bill from a general to a special law, see SOULE, S. 1901, p. 543.

For sundry cases in which a point of order has been raised that a proposed amendment is not germane to the subject under consideration, see the indexes to the Senate Journals under "Order, Questions of." A list of the cases which arose prior to 1902 may be found in the Manual of the General Court for that year.

After an amendment has been adopted, the objection that the bill in its amended form is broader than the scope of the petition on which it is based cannot be entertained. BUTLER, S. 1895, p. 473.

It is too late to raise the objection that an amendment is not germane if the amendment has been considered and voted on at a previous stage of the bill. LAWRENCE, S. 1897, p. 848.

See also notes to House Rule 90.

RULE 51. Prior to the adoption of this rule it was held that the smallest sum and the longest time must be put first. COGSWELL, S. 1879, p. 376.

See note to House Rule 91.

RULE 52. “*Not exceeding ten minutes shall be allowed for debate.*” Time consumed in taking the question on a motion to adjourn is not to be deducted from the ten minutes allowed for the debate. CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 288. See notes to Senate Rule 46 and House Rules 79, 80.

#### RECONSIDERATION.

RULE 53. This rule was reconstructed and certain new provisions were added in 1902.

The right to move a reconsideration is not limited to those who voted with the majority on the motion which is to be reconsidered. DANA, S. 1906, p. 500.

President LORING (S. 1873, p. 299) went so far as to say that there is no reconsideration of votes to commit petitions, etc.; but it would seem that a better position to take would be that there can be no reconsideration after such petition, etc., has actually been handed over by the Clerk to the committee. See SMITH, S. 1900, p. 885.

The same would be true, *mutatis mutandis*, with reference to enacted bills. In the case of the latter, a method sometimes adopted is to request the Governor to return the bill,

and then reconsider its enactment. See Senate Rule 8 and notes thereto. See also note to Constitution, Chap. I., Sect. I., Art. II.

As to the effect of a reconsideration of a vote to close debate at a specified time, see PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 589.

Previous to the change made in 1902, in a case where a bill had been amended and rejected, and when reconsideration of the rejection had been moved within the time allowed, and the motion to reconsider postponed until another day and then carried, it was held that a motion to reconsider the adoption of the amendment was not then in order. SOULE, S. 1901, p. 969.

Previous also to the change made in 1902, when the rule provided for a reconsideration only on "the same day or before the Orders of the Day are taken up on the succeeding day," it was held that if on the day following that on which the vote was passed a quorum was not present, such day should not be counted as "the succeeding day." SOULE, S. 1901, p. 955.

*"No reconsideration of the vote on the question of adjourning."* Reconsideration of motions to adjourn, to lay on or take from the table and for the yeas and nays was held to be cut off by the rule as it stood in 1883. CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 287.

*"When a motion for reconsideration has been decided, that decision shall not be reconsidered."* See DANA, S. 1906, p. 500.

See notes to House Rules 70 and 71.

### REJECTED MEASURES.

RULE 54. See notes to House Rule 49.

This rule is an expression of a principle of parliamentary law. For a discussion of its origin and effect, see BISHOP, S. 1880, p. 243.

General parliamentary practice not only forbids the in-



introduction of a proposition which is substantially the same as a proposition previously rejected, but also forbids the introduction of a proposition substantially the same as one already pending, or substantially the same as one previously adopted or passed. In legislative procedure a bill is not passed within the meaning of the foregoing general parliamentary rule until it has passed to be enacted. SPRAGUE, S. 1891, p. 713.

*“Finally rejected.”* These words must be construed to refer either to a rejection by both Houses, or to such action of the Senate as amounts to a final rejection of the measure independently of any action of the House. PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 584. See also BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 864.

*“When an order is rejected, or a petition excluded, or leave is refused to bring in a bill, or a bill or resolve is refused any one of its stages of advancement, it is ‘finally rejected.’”* COGSWELL, S. 1877, pp. 301, 306. Indefinite postponement is a final rejection. PINKERTON, S. 1892, p. 808.

*“The phrase ‘when any measure has been finally rejected’ must be construed to apply solely to such measures as the Senate has power finally to reject, and cannot of course apply to amendments which may be offered at any stage of a bill, even if rejected at a previous stage; nor has it ever been denied that an amendment rejected by the Senate may be adopted by the House and sent up for concurrence. A substitute is an amendment differing only in this, that it is capable of amendment in the second degree, and by rules of the Senate, but not of the House, requires three several readings. To propose a substitute is therefore only to propose an amendment, and it does not become a ‘measure’ until it is adopted. The rule, being made by the Senate, and applicable to the Senate alone, must mean that no senator shall introduce a second time a ‘measure,’ that is, a bill or resolve, and some kinds of orders, which has been*

once and finally rejected by the Senate. Any other interpretation would put it in the power of a single senator to defeat any bill, which might be pending in either branch or in the committee, and to which he was opposed, by offering it as a substitute for any other bill which he had reason to believe the Senate was desirous of passing, and so compelling the Senate to choose between two bills, both of which it might be desirous of passing." COOLIDGE, S. 1870, p. 415. This ruling was made before the adoption of Senate Rule 50. See also SMITH, S. 1898, p. 730; SOULE, S. 1902, p. 755. See, *contra*, PITMAN, S. 1869, p. 517.

In conformity with the foregoing it was held that a bill passed in the branch in which it began might be sent from that branch to the other, and so introduced, although a similar bill was there pending, or had been passed or rejected. COGSWELL, S. 1877, pp. 301, 306. See also BISHOP, S. 1882, p. 307; LAWRENCE, S. 1896, p. 1036; SMITH, S. 1898, p. 981.

A House bill, practically identical with a previous bill which had been received from the House and rejected by the Senate, was admitted, in recognition of the practice of the Senate that courtesy to the co-ordinate branch usually requires the consideration of a bill so received. SOULE, S. 1901, p. 931.

So also in a case when a report "inexpedient to legislate" had been adopted by the Senate, it was held that the Senate was still bound to entertain a House bill on the same subject, if the report had not been concurred in by the House. PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 585.

When the above decisions of Presidents COOLIDGE and COGSWELL were given, the words "by any committee or member" were not embodied in the rule, and the rule ended as follows: "and this rule shall apply as well to measures originating in the House as to those originating in the Senate." These words were left out in 1877.

The fact that a bill has been finally rejected in one branch does not prevent its introduction in the other. HARTWELL, S. 1889, p. 822.

If, however, a bill or measure has been once rejected by both branches, general parliamentary law as well as this rule would prevent any measure substantially the same from being again introduced into either branch at the same session; and the fact that one branch had passed such measure and forwarded it to the other would not justify its introduction in the latter branch. Thus, where a report of "leave to withdraw" had been accepted by both branches, it was held that a bill which embodied a measure substantially the same as that contemplated in the petition must be laid aside, even though the bill came from the other branch. BISHOP, S. 1880, p. 243. See also PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 583.

It seems that, notwithstanding this rule, an amendment of the Constitution can be introduced, although it is substantially the same as an amendment which came from the previous Legislature and which has been rejected. PHELPS, S. 1859, p. 325.

*"No measure substantially the same."* A resolve providing only for biennial elections is not substantially the same as a resolve providing for biennial elections and biennial sessions of the Legislature. BRUCE, S. 1884, p. 581. See also SMITH, S. 1898, p. 893; PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 635.

For cases in which bills were ruled out under this provision, see HARTWELL, S. 1889, p. 804; BUTLER, S. 1894, p. 730.

For a case in which a bill was held not to be substantially the same as a previously rejected measure, see BUTLER, S. 1894, p. 804; JONES, S. 1904, p. 875.

*"Shall be introduced."* The rejection of a measure does not prevent the consideration of a measure substantially

the same, if it was introduced previously to such rejection. BOARDMAN, S. 1888, p. 485; PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 897. But the fact that an order was presented and laid upon the table prior to the indefinite postponement of another order practically identical was held not to be an introduction within the meaning of this section. PINKERTON, S. 1892, p. 808.

A point of order having been raised that a Senate bill was substantially the same as a bill previously rejected by the Senate, the President refused to lay the bill aside on the ground that the Senate, having first rejected the later bill and then having reconsidered its rejection, had indicated its willingness to act upon it. DANA, S. 1906, p. 882.

#### VOTING.

**RULE 55.** A vote of less than a quorum is not conclusive proof that a quorum is not present, and is valid, provided a quorum is in fact present. SPRAGUE, S. 1890, p. 905; HARTWELL, S. 1889, p. 589; PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 584; SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 564. See also Crocker's Principles of Procedure, Sect. 114, and appendix note thereto.

When the presiding officer by count ascertained that a quorum was not present at the time of the taking of a vote, the vote was declared void. LAWRENCE, S. 1896, pp. 633, 745.

As to what constitutes a quorum of the Senate, see rulings on Amendment XXXIII. of the Constitution and opinion of the Attorney-General, House Doc. No. 38 (1892).

A motion that the Orders of the Day be laid on the table having been entertained by the presiding officer but not stated by him, it was held that it was not then too late to verify a vote taken just previously, as the member that requested the verification had risen for the purpose of making the request in due season. GALLOUPE (acting President), S. 1896, p. 823.

RULE 56. For a case in which it was held that a request for the yeas and nays was made too late, see SMITH, S. 1900, p. 660.

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RULE 57. "*Unless excused before the vote is taken.*" After a *viva voce* vote has been taken, a request to be excused from voting cannot be entertained. PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 583.

"*And no member shall be permitted to vote after the decision is announced from the chair.*" If other business has intervened, a vote cannot be cast even if this rule is suspended. HARTWELL, S. 1889, p. 650.

PARLIAMENTARY PRACTICE.

RULE 62. See notes to House Rule 101.

## NOTES OF RULINGS

ON THE

HOUSE RULES.

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### CLERK.

**RULE 15.** “*Except petitions, enacted bills, orders of inquiry and orders of notice.*” See notes to Senate Rules 8 and 53, and to House Rule 70.

### MEMBERS.

If objection is made, it is not the privilege of any individual member to have an amendment which is printed in the calendar read by the Clerk. MEYER, H. 1895, p. 1211.

If the report of a committee that Mr. A., a sitting member, is not entitled to a seat, has been accepted, it is out of order for Mr. A. to take part in the proceedings, although a motion to reconsider the acceptance of the report is pending. PHELPS, H. 1856, p. 493.

**RULE 17.** “*No member shall absent himself from the House without leave.*” The phrase “the House” refers to the Representatives’ Chamber alone. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 313.

The presence of a quorum is not necessary to excuse a member from attending. BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 774.

### COMMITTEES.

**RULE 20.** For sundry rulings as to reports of committees, see notes on the Joint Rules, under the head of “Committees.”

*"A committee on Ways and Means."* Notwithstanding a previous investigation and report by the committee on Claims, or other committee, it seems that this committee has power to examine every matter before it as a new question, and decide for or against it, on its merits. JEWELL, H. 1870, p. 454. But see House Rule 44.

RULE 24. A point of order that a bill was improperly before the House for the reason that two of the members of the committee reporting it were ineligible under this rule was held not to be well taken. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1431.

RULE 25. For the ruling which is embodied in this section, see LONG, H. 1878, p. 347. See House Rule 40.

RULE 30. A bill is special or general as it applies to one or all of the individuals of a given class. BATES, H. 1897, p. 182. See also notes to Senate Rule 16.

After a bill has been ordered to a third reading it is too late to raise the point of order that the bill is in violation of this rule. BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 698. See also MEYER, H. 1894, p. 350.

*"Can be secured . . . under existing laws."* It is the province of the committee, not of the Speaker, to determine whether the object of an application can be secured under existing laws. MEYER, H. 1894, pp. 350, 485; BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 1160; MYERS, H. 1901, p. 1048.

Pending the point of order that the object desired by a bill could be secured by existing law, a motion to recommit was entertained. NOYES, H. 1887, p. 808.

*"Or without detriment to the public interests by a general law."* Prior to the adoption of this rule a committee could not change a special to a general bill. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 502. Nor could the Legislature change a private or special bill by amendment into a general law. SANFORD,

H. 1874, pp. 217, 513; LONG, H. 1878, pp. 117, 361. See also NOYES, H. 1888, p. 600.

**RULE 31.** See notes to Joint Rule 8.

*"No legislation affecting the rights of individuals,"* etc. A bill to prohibit the imposition of fines, or deductions of wages of employees engaged in weaving, was held not to affect the rights of individuals otherwise than as it affected the interests of the whole people. NOYES, H. 1888, p. 476.

On a petition for general legislation it is not permissible to report a special bill. FROTHINGHAM, H. 1905, p. 272.

For a case in which an amendment restricting the scope of a bill to some of the cases covered by it was held not to affect the rights of individuals otherwise than as they were affected by the original bill, see MARDEN, H. 1883, pp. 484, 522, 523.

Under this rule in the form which it had before 1890, it was held that an order to consider the expediency of legislation limiting the maximum fares on trunk or main lines of steam railroads did not affect the "legal" rights of such corporations otherwise than as it affected generally the interests of the whole people of the Commonwealth. BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 230.

A bill requiring railroad corporations, when issuing new stock, to sell the same at auction, was held not to come within the scope of this rule. BARRETT, H. 1891, p. 638.

A bill providing for supervision by the State of the issue of securities by water companies was held not to be within the scope of this rule. BARRETT, H. 1893, p. 986.

A bill contemplating legislation affecting certain trust companies differently from other trust companies of the same class was held to be within the scope of the rule. BARRETT, H. 1891, p. 866.

*"Shall be proposed or introduced except upon a petition."*  
On a petition asking the extension of the provisions of a



certain act, a bill cannot be reported extending the provisions of a different act. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 392.

For instances in which bills have been ruled out because not based upon petition, see BARRETT, H. 1889, pp. 26, 230, 390.

RULE 32. See notes to Joint Rule 9.

#### REGULAR COURSE OF PROCEEDINGS.

It is the custom of the House to have the chaplain officiate only once during each calendar day. MYERS, H. 1903, p. 1065.

RULE 36. Immediately after the Speaker calls for petitions, etc., and before any are presented, a motion to proceed at once to the consideration of the Orders of the Day is not out of order. MYERS, H. 1903, p. 965.

RULE 37. After a petition has been presented in accordance with the rules, and the question on its reference has been stated, it is then too late to call for a vote on its reception. HALE, H. 1859, p. 64.

RULE 38. Papers from the Senate may be laid before the House by the Speaker after the Orders of the Day have been laid upon the table. MYERS, H. 1903, p. 1064.

RULE 40. "*Motions contemplating legislation.*" This rule does not prevent the introduction of orders of inquiry or investigation, but does take away the power of committees making investigations under such orders to report bills. The rule does not prevent suggestions of legislation. BATES, H. 1898, p. 456.

"*The committee on Ways and Means may originate and report appropriation bills based upon existing law.*" This rule does not give the committee authority to insert in an appropriation bill a section providing for the discon-

tinuance of a work which an existing statute (St. 1899, c. 477) orders to be continued, thus in effect repealing the statute. MYERS, H. 1903, p. 328.

**RULE 41.** This rule is not applicable to motions for adjournment. RICE (acting Speaker), H. 1859, p. 224.

Quære, whether an order can be postponed without question after the discussion of it has begun. See KINNICUTT, H. 1844, p. 524; BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 700. After an order has been laid over, considered and amended, it cannot be postponed upon request under this rule. BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 753.

In order to make a request for postponement a member must obtain the floor in the regular way. BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 699.

*“An order.”* In 1890 the word “order” in this rule was held not to include resolutions against a reimposition of a duty on hides. BARRETT, H. 1890, pp. 538, 553. Thereupon the words “or resolution” were inserted in the rule, and in 1899 these words were stricken out again.

**RULE 43.** When the question, “Shall this bill be rejected?” is pending, a motion to amend the bill is not in order (PHELPS, H. 1856, p. 323), but it is in order to move the previous question. PHELPS, H. 1856, p. 332.

**RULE 44.** A bill will be referred by the Speaker under this rule to the committee, even if the fact that it involves the expenditure of public money is not discovered by him or brought to his attention by point of order or otherwise until the question on its engrossment is pending. MYERS, H. 1900, pp. 640, 1303; BATES, H. 1899, p. 516; WHIPPLE (acting Speaker), H. 1899, p. 728; BRACKETT, H. 1885, pp. 709, 732; BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 795; BARRETT, H. 1892, pp. 330, 824, 1168; BATES, H. 1898, p. 742. See also BATES, H. 1899, pp. 619, 635; MEYER, H. 1894, pp. 756, 977.

A bill providing for an expenditure by the Board of Railroad Commissioners was referred under the rule, although provision is made by law for repayment to the State of all sums expended by or for said Board. MYERS, H. 1902, pp. 936, 943.

A resolve providing for an extension of time within which suit should be brought under an act previously passed upon by the committee on Ways and Means was held not to come within the scope of this rule. MYERS, H. 1902, pp. 572, 971.

*"New provisions shall not be added to such bills by the committee on Ways and Means, unless,"* etc. See MEYER, H. 1894, pp. 1197, 1219.

RULE 47. As to whether it is proper under this rule to move to take from the files of last year a bill (which was then referred to the next General Court), and move its reference to a committee, without getting special leave to introduce it, see LONG, H. 1877, p. 466, and OSGOOD, appellant, p. 469.

*"Unless received from the Senate."* See note to Senate Rule 23.

*"Moved as an amendment to the report of a committee."* After a bill has been substituted for the report of a committee, it is too late to raise the point of order that the bill is broader in its scope than the subject-matter referred to the committee. NOYES, H. 1888, p. 463.

RULE 49. See notes to Senate Rule 54. See also "Courtesy between the Branches," under "Sundry Rulings," at the end of the notes on the Joint Rules.

*"Finally rejected by the House."* The words "by the House" were added in 1890, following a ruling by Speaker BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 864. For a statement of the general parliamentary practice which differs from the position taken by Speaker BARRETT, see notes to Senate Rule 54.

A bill passed to be engrossed by the House but rejected by the Senate is not by this rule barred from being again introduced in the House. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1151.

Under this rule it was held that a bill from the Senate must be laid aside when the course of proceedings had been as follows: The petition with accompanying bill was originally presented in the Senate and there referred to a joint committee, in which reference the House concurred. The committee reported to the House, recommending reference to the next General Court; a motion to substitute the bill in question was rejected, and then the report was adopted by the House. In the Senate the bill was substituted for the report, and this bill, on its passage to a third reading in the House, was laid aside as coming within the scope of the rule. BARRETT, H. 1893, p. 856. See also MEYER, H. 1896, p. 1142. Subsequently, in the same session, in a case in which the House had previously adopted a report recommending that the petitioner have leave to withdraw, it was held that a bill substituted in the Senate for the report should be entertained. The distinction made was that in this case the bill itself had not been previously offered in and rejected by the House. BARRETT, H. 1893, pp. 961, 967.

The rejection of a bill providing for permanent clerical assistance does not exclude the subsequent introduction of a resolve providing for temporary clerical assistance. ADAMS (acting Speaker), H. 1900, p. 325.

It is not in order under this rule to move as an amendment a bill which has once been finally rejected. MARDEN, H. 1883, p. 819.

After a bill "making appropriations for expenses of various charitable and reformatory institutions" was rejected, it was held that one of the sections of that bill could be introduced without violating this rule. MARDEN, H. 1883, p. 569. See also MEYER, H. 1894, p. 1226.

On an order relative to memorializing Congress for an amendment to the Constitution of the United States so as to provide for election of United States Senators by direct popular vote, a joint committee reported to the House no legislation necessary. Resolutions offered as a substitute for the report were rejected by the House, and the report was accepted and sent to the Senate for concurrence. The Senate substituted the resolutions which had been rejected by the House, and sent them to the House. The speaker ruled that under this rule they must be laid aside. ARRETT, H. 1891, p. 419.

Previous to the foregoing ruling it had been held that a bill may be received from the Senate and considered by the House, although a similar bill is there pending, or has been passed or rejected. Once in the House, and there referred to a committee of the House, a subsequent report of it back from that committee is a part of its career, and not such an introduction of it as to bring it within this rule as "introduced by a committee." LONG, H. 1877, p. 424; GOODWIN, H. 1860, p. 550. *Contra*, see SANFORD, H. 1875, p. 323; OSGOOD (acting Speaker), H. 1877, p. 416. A bill changed in but a single essential provision is not substantially the same. NOYES, H. 1881, p. 402. See also EYER, H. 1896, p. 1179; NOYES, H. 1881, p. 447; JEWELL, H. 1868, p. 204.

A bill is excluded under this rule if it embraces a measure substantially the same as that covered by a previous reference on which a report of inexpedient to legislate has been accepted. FROTHINGHAM, H. 1904, p. 990; SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 349; BISHOP, S. 1880, p. 243; MARDEN, H. 1884, p. 555. *Contra*, see RIDEOUT (acting Speaker), H. 1898, p. 1103, 1112.

For a case in which a memorial was introduced and referred to a committee, although it related to the same subject as that embraced in a petition upon which a report of

leave to withdraw had been accepted, see PHELPS, H. 1856, p. 683.

After a bill reported on a petition has been rejected, the petition cannot be further considered. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 511. See also SANFORD, H. 1873, p. 198; KIMBALL (acting Speaker), H. 1871, p. 400.

The acceptance of a report "no legislation necessary on the Governor's message" was held not to cut off action on a substitute for a bill previously reported by the same committee, although such bill and substitute covered matter embraced in the Governor's message. NOYES, H. 1888, p. 584.

It seems that reference to the next Legislature is not a final rejection. See GOODWIN, H. 1860, p. 550.

In the case of a bill which had been read a third time, it was held that it was too late to raise the point of order that it was improperly before the House because it was substantially the same as a bill which had been previously finally rejected. BATES, H. 1897, p. 1197.

*"Introduced by any committee or member."* As to the effect of these words, see LONG, H. 1877, p. 427.

**RULE 50.** It is within the province of the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to report that a bill ought not to pass. BARRETT, H. 1890, pp. 862, 864.

**RULE 53.** Notice of an amendment of an engrossed bill or resolve adopted by one branch should be communicated to the other by a message. See WALLEY, H. 1846, pp. 314, 440, 578, 606. The formality of a message is now dispensed with.

**RULE 59.** Matters in the calendar must be acted upon separately. A single request that several matters be passed for debate is not in order. BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 604.

A motion that several matters in the calendar be laid upon the table is not in order. BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 604.

RULE 60. "*The unfinished business,*" etc. See KINNITT, H. 1844, p. 524.

RULE 61. If a matter is discharged from the Orders of the Day, the vote cannot be reconsidered on the succeeding day. BLISS, H. 1853, p. 362.

RULE 62. "*If . . . an amendment is made.*" The word "made" is the equivalent of "adopted." BARRETT, H. 1839, p. 696.

"*Substantially changing the greater part of such bill.*" In a case in which a bill was held to have been substantially changed, see PATON (acting Speaker), H. 1899, p. 855. In cases in which a bill was held not to have been substantially changed, see MEYER, H. 1895, p. 1275; MEYER, 1894, p. 1312.

"*And shall then be open to further amendment before such question is put.*" By general parliamentary law it is not in order to amend a substitute at the same stage in which it is adopted. PHELPS, H. 1857, p. 984.

### VOTING.

It is the duty of every member to vote unless excused from so doing, or debarred by private interests. BARTON, H. 1892, p. 1207. See note to House Rule 64.

A member has no right to change his vote after the result is declared, even though the declaration is erroneous, if the right is claimed prior to a corrected statement. PHELPS, H. 1856, p. 496.

A vote may be declared null and void after it has been recorded. EDDY, H. 1855, p. 1570.

Ending a roll-call it is not in order to move that the doors be closed, because such a motion, if adopted, might prevent a member who happened to be outside from voting. It is, however, in order to close the doors in case of a call.

of the House, because it is the very object of the proceeding to ascertain who is present. **HALE**, H. 1859, p. 335.

**RULE 62.** For a case in which a substitute bill was held not to change substantially the greater part of the original bill, see **MYERS**, H. 1903, p. 955.

**RULE 63.** In the case of a creditor or stockholder of the Eastern Railroad, it was held that he could vote on the bill "for the relief of the Eastern Railroad Company and the securing of its debts and liabilities," inasmuch as such creditor's or stockholder's interest was not "distinct from the public interest, but was inseparably mixed with it." **LONG**, H. 1876, p. 181, and cases there cited. See also **WINTHROP**, H. 1838, pp. 202, 212.

A director of a bank which has petitioned for an increase of capital was held not to be excluded by interest from voting on a motion to instruct the committee on Banks and Banking to report leave to withdraw on all petitions by banks for an increase of capital. **BLISS**, H. 1853, p. 605. See also **WINTHROP**, H. 1838, pp. 77, 78, 79; **WINTHROP**, H. 1840, p. 207.

In the case of a bill "to equalize the bounties of our soldiers," which provided for paying certain sums of money to a particular class of persons described in the bill, it was held that a member who, under the provisions of the bill, would be entitled to \$200, had such an interest as would deprive him of the right to vote. **STONE**, H. 1866, p. 364. See also cases there cited.

The proper time to raise a point of order questioning the right of a member to vote on account of interest is after the roll has been called and the member's vote recorded. **BARRETT**, H. 1892, p. 1125.

For other cases relating to this rule, see **BANKS**, H. 1852, p. 225; **ASHMUN**, H. 1841, p. 387.



**RULE 64.** Any member may require the observance by other members of the duty of voting while the vote is proceeding, and before it is declared; but it is too late to call for the enforcement of the rule after the vote has been completed and declared. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 564.

*“Members desiring to be excused from voting shall make application,”* etc. For a case which arose prior to the adoption of this provision, see BLISS, H. 1853, p. 367.

This rule applies only to main questions, and not to subsidiary, incidental or privileged questions. BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 766.

*“And shall not be subject to the provisions of rule sixty-eight.”* This means that the yeas and nays cannot be taken on the question of excusing a member from voting. BRACKETT, H. 1890, p. 607.

**RULE 67.** *“And if a quorum is present the vote shall stand.”* This is an expression of a general principle enunciated by Speaker SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 564. BRACKETT, H. 1889, p. 226. See also notes of rulings on the Constitution, Articles of Amendment, XXXIII., and on the Senate Rules under “Voting.”

Where the Journal showed that less than a quorum was present, and that the point of order was immediately raised that a quorum was not present and the House adjourned without determining whether a quorum was in fact present, it was held that the vote was void. MEYER, H. 1895, p. 370.

**RULE 68.** The call for the yeas and nays on the question of the disposition of a matter on the calendar must be made before the consideration of the next matter on the calendar has been taken up. MYERS, H. 1902, p. 359. Under a rule which enabled one-fifth of the members present and voting to order the yeas and nays, it was held

that a vote for the yeas and nays could not be reconsidered except by a four-fifths vote. EDDY, H. 1855, p. 15. *Contra*, PHELPS, H. 1856, p. 1120; CUSHING, § 1271.

When a question is before the House, and the yeas and nays have been ordered, a motion to reverse the roll-call is not in order. BLISS, H. 1853, p. 299.

It seems that a request for the yeas and nays cannot be laid on the table. See ASHMUN, H. 1841, p. 385.

Pending the taking of the yeas and nays a point of order will not be entertained. MYERS, H. 1902, p. 1232.

After a request for the yeas and nays has been refused, a second request on the same question cannot be entertained. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1314.

*"No member shall be allowed to vote who was not on the floor before the vote is declared."* For a case arising when the rule provided that no member shall be allowed to vote who was not upon the floor when his name was called, or before the roll-call was finished, see EDDY, H. 1855, pp. 1573, 1658.

*"If . . . a member states . . . that he has paired . . . such members shall be excused from voting."* It has been held not to be in order to pair on a motion to adjourn. BARNES (acting Speaker), H. 1889, p. 709.

*"But shall be included with the members voting for the purposes of a quorum."* Prior to the addition of these words to the rule it was held that if the roll-call showed less than a quorum present and voting, the pairs announced could not be counted to make up a quorum. BARRETT, H. 1890, pp. 774, 799.

**RULE 69.** If a request for the yeas and nays, made before the question is put, fails, a second request for the purpose of verifying the vote cannot be entertained. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1314.

**RECONSIDERATION.**

**RULE 70.** This rule was reconstructed and certain new provisions were added in 1902.

As to reconsideration of a vote on a motion requiring more or less than a majority vote for its adoption, see notes to Rule 68.

Reconsideration can be had of a vote rejecting the report of a committee which declared that the seat of a member was vacant. **HALE**, H. 1859, p. 133.

As to reconsideration of votes to commit petitions, etc., and of the enactment of laws, see notes to Senate Rules 8 and 53.

The vote requiring the yeas and nays to be taken can be reconsidered. **NOYES**, H. 1881, p. 490.

A motion to suspend this rule may be entertained after the time allowed for a motion to reconsider has elapsed. **NOYES**, H. 1887, p. 331.

When a vote has been passed to close debate at a specified time, and that time has arrived, it is too late to move reconsideration in order to extend the debate. **NOYES**, . 1880, p. 220.

A motion to reconsider a vote whereby a rule has been suspended cannot be entertained after business consequent upon the suspension has intervened. **MEYER**, H. 1894, 466.

As to whether the adoption of an order can be reconsidered after its execution has begun, see **HALE**, H. 1859, 270.

It has been held that a motion to reconsider a vote on an undebatable question cannot be debated. **ROCKWELL**, . 1858, p. 331.

A motion to rescind a standing or special order of the house may be entertained after the time for reconsideration of the order has expired. **MEYER**, H. 1895, p. 982; **MEYER**, H. 1894, p. 823.

*“ On the next day thereafter on which a quorum is present.”* Before the requirement of the presence of a quorum was inserted in this rule, it was held that a session held merely for the purpose of complying with the provisions of the Constitution, and not for the purpose of transacting business, was not to be considered as “the succeeding day.” BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 1277.

When each of two or more daily sessions is declared to be a legislative day, each session is a day within the meaning of this rule. BARRETT, H. 1893, p. 1036.

*“ Last week of the session.”* These words may be construed as meaning the week prior to the date of final adjournment voted by the House. BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 965. See also the sub-heading “Last Week of the Session,” under “Sundry Rulings.”

*“ Before the Orders of the Day have been taken up.”* For a case in which a motion to reconsider was entertained after the Orders of the Day were taken up, see OLMSTEAD (acting Speaker), H. 1892, pp. 380, 381. But see also ST. JOHN (acting Speaker), H. 1892, p. 1202.

*“ First in the Orders of the Day for the succeeding day.”* Under a rule having a similar requirement, it was held to be necessary, notwithstanding the rule, to take up forthwith a motion to reconsider a vote that when the House adjourn it be to a day or hour different from that fixed by the rules. GOODWIN, H. 1860, p. 415.

*“ Shall be considered forthwith.”* This does not prevent a postponement of action on the motion to reconsider by vote to that effect. HALE (acting Speaker), H. 1874, p. 23.

Where a bill had passed to be engrossed, and a motion to reconsider had been made, it was held that laying the motion to reconsider on the table would not carry the bill to the table, but would leave the Clerk at liberty to send it to the Senate. JEWELL, H. 1870, p. 478. See notes to Senate Rule 46.

*“ Provided, further.”* For the origin of this proviso, see KINNICUTT, H. 1844, p. 524.

In the case of a motion to reconsider a vote whereby the House refused to discharge a matter from the Orders of the Day under a suspension of the rules, it was held that such motion should be considered at the time when made. BOBIN (acting Speaker), H. 1886, p. 524.

RULE 71. *“ No question shall be twice reconsidered.”* Where a bill had been rejected, and reconsideration was carried, and the bill was then amended in an essential feature, it was held that a reconsideration of a second rejection would be in order, because the question on the second rejection was not the same as that on the first. FORTNE, H. 1867, p. 218; HEYWOOD (acting President), S. 1865, p. 533.

The same question cannot twice be reconsidered. The fact that the question has been decided once in the affirmative and once in the negative makes no difference. BLISS, S. 1853, p. 721.

It has been held that this rule can be suspended so as to allow a second reconsideration. PHELPS, H. 1856, p. 481. It is competent for the House to reconsider a vote refusing to pass a bill over the Executive veto, notwithstanding the first vote is described in the Constitution as a “ reconsideration of the bill.” SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 583; FROTHGHAM, H. 1905, p. 1098. See notes on the Constitution, Chap. I., Sect. I., Art. II.

#### RULES OF DEBATE.

Remarks should be addressed to the presiding officer, not to the House in general. BULLOCK, H. 1865, p. 155.

When a member yields the floor to another, he loses the right to it altogether. BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 741.

No person not a member of the legislative body has any right to take part in the debates. For a case in which

application of this rule was made to the chaplain's prayer, see SANFORD, H. 1872, p. 291.

The uniform custom in the House has been to allude to a member by his residence. The pronouncing of the name of one member by another in debate is liable to lead to the excitement of personal feeling, and to a disturbance of that harmony and courtesy among the members which are essential to the highest style of order in a deliberative assembly. BULLOCK, H. 1865, p. 155.

Allusion should not be made to the opinions or wishes of the Executive for the purpose of influencing the decision of any question. This point is not one merely of formality or propriety, but one of principle, affecting the independence of the several branches of the government. The official acts and orders of the Executive, and his opinions officially communicated to the Legislature, are properly subjects of discussion, and may well be referred to for the purpose of influencing the action of the legislative body; but it is irregular and unparliamentary in debate for a member, with a view to securing the passage or defeat of a measure, to refer to the supposed opinion or wish of the Executive not officially promulgated. BULLOCK, H. 1865, p. 155; MORISON (acting Speaker), H. 1889, p. 800.

After a point of order has been raised, the subject can be postponed to give the chair time for consideration. NOYES, H. 1882, p. 446.

A point of order will not lie for the reason that a bill does not conform to the subject-matter as stated in the title. BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 1160.

An order having been adopted that the Speaker should declare an adjournment on the completion of the business on which the House was engaged at 5 o'clock, it was held that a motion to take a recess until 7.30, made after 5 o'clock, was not in order, for the reason that the order had not been suspended. BRACKETT, H. 1885, pp. 771, 775.

**RULE 74.** See **BARRETT**, H. 1893, p. 908.

**RULE 76.** The House has refused to sustain a ruling that the intent of this rule is to give the preference in speaking only to such members who have not spoken as long as at the same time with a member who may desire to speak a second time. **HALE**, H. 1859, p. 288. See also **BARRETT**, H. 1893, p. 908.

### **MOTIONS.**

In general terms, it is a principle of parliamentary law that no question can be moved a second time upon which the judgment of the House has already been expressed. See **WADE**, H. 1879, p. 540; **HALE**, H. 1859, p. 277; **HELPS**, H. 1856, p. 530. Thus a report of leave to withdraw having been made and an amendment substituting a bill having been rejected and the report having then been laid upon the table, the same motion to amend is not in order when the report is again taken from the table. **ROTHINGHAM**, H. 1904, p. 767.

If a motion to lay on the table is lost, another motion to lay on the table is not in order until some substantial business has been transacted. The rejection of a motion to adjourn is not substantial business. **BLISS**, H. 1853, p. 281. See also **CROCKER**, S. 1883, p. 286.

A motion for the previous question was held to be out of order where the only business intervening between it and the prior motion for the previous question was the offering of two amendments and the rejection of a motion to postpone. **MYERS**, H. 1903, p. 349.

A motion to suspend the rule limiting the time allowed each speaker is in order pending a debate, although before the debate began a similar motion had been made and defeated. **HALE**, H. 1859, p. 603.

A motion that the further reading of a paper be discontinued is not barred by the fact that at a previous

point in the reading a similar motion has been rejected. HIGGINS (acting Speaker), H. 1894, p. 128.

No two resolutions nor any two bills contradictory to each other can be passed at the same session. See WADE, H. 1879, p. 540.

If, however, an amendment is made at one reading of a bill, inserting certain words, the same words, or any part of them, may be stricken out by amendment at a subsequent reading without reconsideration of the first amendment. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 246. So also the rejection of an amendment at one reading of a bill does not bar the same amendment from being entertained at a subsequent reading. MEYER, H. 1894, p. 1187. For further modifications and explanations of this principle, see notes to Senate Rule 54 and House Rule 49.

A resolution disapproving of the course of a member is not admissible, unless such course has been in violation of the rules and privileges of the House. SANFORD, H. 1872, p. 292.

RULE 78. “*A motion . . . may be withdrawn by the mover if no objection is made.*” When a motion to reconsider was made, and under the rule went over to the succeeding day, it was held that it was no longer before the House and could not be withdrawn until reached on such succeeding day, unless the rule was suspended so that it could be at once considered. PHELPS, H. 1857, p. 533.

RULE 79. “*A motion to adjourn shall be always first in order.*” A motion to adjourn is not in order pending the verification of a vote. If the previous question is ordered, a motion to adjourn is not in order until the main question is decided. BLISS, H. 1853, pp. 274, 365. See also LORING, S. 1874, pp. 551, 554; CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 289.

A motion to adjourn to a specified time is not entitled to precedence. BLISS, H. 1853, p. 302.



If a motion to adjourn has been negatived, it cannot be renewed until substantial business has intervened. BLISS, H. 1853, p. 303; BACHELDER (acting Speaker), H. 1898, p. 780. See notes to Senate Rule 46.

The ordering of the yeas and nays on the pending question, and the interposition of a request to be excused from voting and ordering the yeas and nays on this question, is not substantial business. BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 356.

If there is no other motion before the House, a motion to adjourn may be amended by specifying a particular day, and it has been held that it is not even then debatable. CROWNINSHIELD, H. 1849, p. 314.

RULE 80. See notes to House Rules 68 and 79.

*"Or some other motion that has precedence."* If a special assignment is not called up on the day assigned for its consideration, it has been held that it falls through and loses its privilege, but this ruling was overruled by the House. BLISS, H. 1853, p. 347. See note to Senate Rule 46.

*"For the previous question."* A motion for the previous question was held to be out of order where the only business intervening between it and a prior motion for the previous question was the offering of two amendments and the rejection of a motion to postpone. MYERS, H. 1903, p. 349.

*"To close the debate at a specified time."* The House is not bound by a vote to take the question at a given time. The previous question would be in order, or the time might be extended for taking the vote. SANFORD, H. 1873, p. 62. When, however, the time fixed for taking the vote has arrived, it is too late to move a reconsideration in order to extend the time. NOYES, H. 1880, p. 220.

It has been held that a motion to close the debate must be put to the question before the time specified in the motion, even if it is necessary to interrupt a speaker for the purpose of so doing. UPHAM, S. 1858, p. 448.

A motion to close debate at a specified time was held not to have been rendered inoperative by the fact that after the time had passed, but before the votes on various pending amendments and on the main question had been taken, the House considered and acted upon a special assignment and then adjourned. MYERS, H. 1903, p. 955.

The motion to close the debate at a specified time cannot be applied to a motion to refer a matter to the next General Court. BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 599.

*"To commit (or recommit)."* See note to Senate Rule 46.

*"To amend."* See notes to House Rule 90 and Senate Rules 46 and 50.

*"To refer to the next General Court."* It has been held that a motion to refer to the next General Court can be applied to a motion to reconsider. BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 1277.

**RULE 81.** If the House adjourns pending a motion for the previous question, the consideration of said motion is not removed from before the House on the following day. BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 604.

**RULE 84.** If a motion for the previous question is carried while a motion to reconsider the adoption of an amendment is pending, the motion to reconsider is not thereby made the main question. ELDRIDGE (acting Speaker), H. 1860, p. 288.

*"And then upon the main question."* The announcement of a vote for the preacher of the election sermon having shown that no person had a majority, a motion was made that the person having the highest number of votes be declared elected, and the previous question was then moved and carried, and it was held that the main question was the motion that a plurality should elect. BRADBURY, H. 1848, p. 273.

**RULE 85.** Unless the vote on a motion to close debate at a specified time can be taken at least thirty minutes

before the time specified, the motion is improperly before the House. BATES, H. 1899, p. 505.

**RULE 86.** When a bill has been substituted for the report of a committee, the member who made the motion to substitute is not in charge of the measure within the meaning of this rule, unless such member was in charge of the original measure. BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 863; BARRETT, H. 1893, p. 1073.

If the committee on Bills in the Third Reading reports adversely on a bill which has been substituted for the report of a committee, the chairman of the committee on bills in the Third Reading is not in charge of the bill, within the meaning of this rule. BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 863.

Reference to the committee on Rules for the purpose of modifying a bill so as to make it conform to the provisions of the order upon which it was based, was held not to take the bill out of the charge of the member of the committee by whom it was originally reported. POWERS (acting speaker), H. 1892, p. 914.

Where a bill reported by a committee had been amended in the House by the substitution of another bill, it was held that the member in charge of the bill originally reported was entitled to the ten minutes allowed by the rule. BATES, H. 1897, p. 836.

A bill reported to the House by the committee on Education having been amended in the Senate by the substitution of another bill, and the latter on reaching the House having been referred under the rule to the Finance Committee, which reported that the substituted bill ought to pass, it was held that the member of the committee on Education who had charge of the original bill was still in charge. DEWEY (acting Speaker), H. 1891, p. 1037.

The member in charge of a measure is entitled to the allowance given by this rule whenever the measure is before the House. MYERS, H. 1902, p. 1283.

*“ When the member entitled to speak under this rule is absent,”* etc. Prior to the addition of this clause it was held that in the absence of the member in charge no other member of the committee could be considered as in charge, and entitled to speak. BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 677.

**RULE 89.** When an amendment has been adopted inserting certain words in a bill, the same words when taken in connection with other words, thus constituting a different proposition, may be struck out by subsequent amendment at the same stage. BATES, H. 1899, p. 909.

See notes to Senate Rule 46, under *“ to amend.”*

**RULE 90.** Before the rules allowed committees to report a general law upon a petition for special legislation, it was held that a private or special act could not be changed by amendment to a general law. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 217; LONG, H. 1878, pp. 117, 361.

Amendments extending the provisions of a private or special bill so as to make it general are admissible if the committee might have reported such a general bill on the order referred to it. FROTHINGHAM, H. 1904, p. 628; MARDEN, H. 1883, p. 630; MELLEN (acting Speaker), H. 1893, p. 660; MEYER, H. 1894, p. 1146; MYERS, H. 1903, p. 1383. See Senate Rule 16, House Rule 30, Joint Rule 7.

To change a special act into a general act by amendment is to so amend as to make the provisions of the act applicable to all individuals of the same class. BATES, H. 1897, p. 183.

Resolutions general in their scope may be moved as a substitute for resolutions special in character. BARRETT, H. 1891, p. 60; BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 866. See House Rule 30 and notes thereto, and House Rule 95.

If the subject-matter referred to a committee is general in its character, it is not in order to propose amendments changing the bill reported thereon from a general law to a

special act. BATES, H. 1898, p. 674; BATES, H. 1897, pp. 875, 968; MEYER, H. 1895, pp. 826, 1071, 1132; NOYES, H. 1887, pp. 700, 785; WADLIN (acting Speaker), H. 1887, p. 448. See also BATES, H. 1899, p. 332; MARDEN, H. 1884, p. 450; NOYES, H. 1888, p. 600. See also notes to Senate Rule 50.

An amendment is not in order if it extends beyond the scope of the subject-matter on which the report of a committee is based. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1146; BARRETT, H. 1893, p. 1046; BENNETT (acting Speaker), H. 1893, p. 471; NOYES, H. 1887, pp. 422, 532, 654, 668; MARDEN, H. 1883, pp. 232, 558. See notes to Senate Rule 50. See also ruling by Speaker BARRETT, cited in notes on Joint Rules under "Committees."

A bill contemplating legislation is not admissible as an amendment to a report of a committee, leave to withdraw, on a petition which simply asks for a public hearing and not for legislation. TUCKER (acting Speaker), H. 1892, p. 460.

In a case where a bill permissive in its character was the subject-matter referred, it was held that an amendment, which, if adopted, would make the bill mandatory, was not in order. McDONOUGH (acting Speaker), H. 1888, p. 535.

An amendment which provides for a modification of an existing law is not germane to a bill which provides for a repeal of the law. MARDEN, H. 1883, p. 512; BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 786; MEYER, H. 1894, p. 1085.

A bill providing for the abolition of an official board was held not to be germane to a petition asking for the continuance of the board. MEYER, H. 1894, p. 825.

An amendment striking out a portion of a bill is not germane if it broadens the bill beyond the scope of the petition. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 918.

A substitute removing existing legal restrictions is not germane to a petition and bill imposing more rigid restrictions. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1007.

A bill regulating the giving of entertainments on the Lord's Day was held to be within the scope of and germane to a petition asking for the prohibition of such entertainments. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 738.

A bill authorizing the sale of soda water was held to be germane to a petition for legislation to authorize the sale of "soda" on the Lord's Day, on the ground that "soda" was the colloquial phrase for soda water, and was the term most often used. MYERS, H. 1902, pp. 917, 920.

The House has a right in granting legislation to impose such provisos, conditions or limitations as to it may seem fit. BARRETT, H. 1892, pp. 536, 839, 840.

When the question is upon concurring with the other branch in the adoption of an amendment, such amendment only is the subject under consideration. COLE, H. 1906, p. 982.

For sundry cases in which a point of order has been raised that a proposed amendment is not germane to the subject under consideration, see the appendixes to the House Journals under the title of "Questions of Order," or "Order, Points of." A list of the cases which arose prior to 1902 may be found in the Manual of the General Court for that year.

It is too late to raise objection that a substitute bill is not germane to a petition after the substitute has been adopted. MEYER, H. 1895, p. 406.

So also it is too late to raise objection that an amendment is not germane to a bill after the amendment has been adopted (MYERS, H. 1903, p. 1032; MYERS, H. 1902, p. 1276; NOYES, H. 1888, p. 463), or after the consideration of the amendment has occupied the attention of the House a portion of two sessions. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 367. See also DEWEY (acting Speaker), H. 1877, p. 463; NOYES, H. 1881, p. 480.

See notes to Senate Rule 50 and to Joint Rules under the head of "Committees."

**RULE 91.** This rule does not save the right to amend when a simple motion to strike out (*i.e.*, a motion not embracing a proposition to insert) has been made and rejected. **SANFORD**, H. 1874, p. 499.

"*A question containing two or more propositions capable of division.*" The question, "Shall this bill pass to be engrossed?" is not divisible. Thus, in passing to be engrossed a bill fixing certain salaries, the bill cannot be divided so as to allow the salary of each official to be voted on separately. **WARDWELL** (acting Speaker), H. 1881, p. 490.

"*Strike out and insert.*" See **NOYES**, H. 1880, p. 60.

**RULE 92.** Where there is no blank, and amendments are offered, changing the sum or time, the matter is to be treated as if the sum or time were left blank in the original motion, and the sum or time therein stated is to take its place among the amendments in accordance with the provisions of this rule. **WADE**, H. 1879, p. 144.

See note to Senate Rule 51.

#### **APPEAL.**

**RULE 94.** An appeal from the ruling of the chair must be taken at once. The right to appeal is cut off by the intervention of other business. **PHELPS**, H. 1857, p. 907. See also **CROCKER**, S. 1883, p. 289.

Upon the question raised by an appeal, a motion for the previous question is in order. **MYERS**, H. 1903, pp. 945, 1064.

For a case where the chair refused to entertain an appeal because the question had previously been decided by a ruling of the chair, which was confirmed by a vote of the

House, see BLISS, H. 1853, p. 366. See also CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 289, 290.

The decision upon an appeal can be reconsidered. BLISS, H. 1853, pp. 730, 736.

A motion to lay an appeal on the table is not in order. MARDEN, H. 1883, p. 582. See notes to Senate Rules under heading "Motions."

#### **ELECTIONS BY BALLOT.**

RULE 96. The election of a State director of the Troy and Greenfield Railroad Company was held to be within this rule. GOODWIN, H. 1860, p. 665.

#### **PARLIAMENTARY PRACTICE.**

RULE 101. It is not competent for the House on motion to suspend the principles of general parliamentary law. The House could not suspend the rule that the rejection of a motion to strike out precludes amendment, any more than it could suspend the rule requiring a majority of votes to pass a motion. SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 499.



## NOTES OF RULINGS

ON THE

JOINT RULES.

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### COMMITTEES.

A report adopted at a duly notified meeting of a committee, a quorum being present, was held to be a valid report of the committee, although an unsigned memorandum was written on the report to the effect that certain members, constituting a majority of the committee, dissented. BOARDMAN, S. 1888, p. 378.

It is not within the province of the chair upon a point of order to inquire into the internal workings of a committee with a view to determining whether a bill has been properly considered by such committee. BARRETT, H. 1891, p. 1127; JONES, S. 1903, p. 457.

When a report is received, the committee's duties as to the matter reported on are ended, and they can make no further report upon it unless the subject is recommitted to them by vote of the assembly. CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 489, 576; BARRETT, H. 1891, p. 789; MARDEN, H. 1883, pp. 529, 669.

The reception of a report discharges the committee, even though the report is subsequently ruled out as beyond the scope of the reference. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1463.

A report of a committee made without authority cannot be considered. BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 877.

Every report should conclude with some substantive proposition for the consideration of the assembly, such as, that a bill, resolve, order or resolution ought or ought not to pass, that it is inexpedient to legislate, that the petitioners have leave to withdraw, etc., etc.

If a report recommends the passage of a bill or resolve, action is had upon the bill or resolve alone, and it takes its several readings, or is otherwise disposed of, as to the assembly seems fit. In such cases nothing is done about "accepting the report." The statement of facts and arguments embodied in the report in support of the recommendation of the committee is not accepted or adopted, . . . and the assembly, by passing the bill or resolve, does not endorse that statement of fact or argument any more than, when it passes a vote, it endorses every speech made in support of the motion.

What is true of a report recommending the passage of a bill or resolve is equally true of a report recommending the passage of a resolution or order, reference to another committee or to the next General Court, or any other action. The substantive proposition of the report is the motion, as it were, of the committee, and that proposition alone is before the assembly for its action. The preliminary statement of facts and of opinions contained in reports in the usual forms is not before the assembly for its action, and therefore cannot be amended. If, however, the proposition of a report is that its statement of facts and of opinions should be endorsed and adopted by the assembly itself, then and then only such statement would properly be before the assembly, and might be amended or otherwise acted upon. CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 489, 576; BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 1254.

Whatever the proposition of the report is, the question should be so framed as to embody that proposition in distinct terms. The ordinary form of putting the ques-

tion, namely, "Shall this report be accepted?" is inaccurate, ambiguous, misleading, and ought to be abolished. CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 489, 576.

If a committee report in part only, their report should expressly state that it is "in part," and should clearly define what portion of the subject-matter committed to them is covered by the report. The use of the words "in part" is, however, not essential. If the committee intended to report in part only, and the phraseology of their report is consistent with such intent, their report will be treated as a report in part. CROCKER, S. 1883, p. 87; BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 843. See also SPRAGUE, S. 1891, p. 713.

A committee to which the report of a commission has been referred may report a bill on the subject covered by the report of the commission, although such report omits to recommend legislation. NOYES, H. 1888, p. 670. But see HARTWELL, S. 1889, p. 733. See also SPRAGUE, S. 1891, p. 514.

A committee to which a report of a commission has been referred should make separate reports on the various subjects on which legislation is specially suggested, and a final report, — "no further legislation necessary." In a case, however, where a committee reported a bill on one only of several subjects, deeming that legislation on the other subjects was inexpedient, and plainly indicated that its report was intended to be a report in full, it was held that any amendment within the scope of the matter referred to the committee was admissible, though such amendment might not be germane to the subject-matter covered by the reported bill. Otherwise the committee would possess the power to bury by its own action, and without the power of revision, the issues referred to it. BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 842.

For a discussion as to the creation of joint committees, and their relation to the two branches, see HALE, H. 1859, p. 269.

A joint order having been adopted instructing joint committees to report reference to the next General Court on all matters remaining in their hands after a fixed date, a bill reported subsequently to such date was held to be improperly before the House. NOYES, H. 1888, p. 832; BARRETT, H. 1889, p. 897; BARRETT, H. 1893, p. 706.

As to whether the same subject may be referred to two committees, see SANFORD, H. 1872, p. 419. It seems that such action would conflict with the principle of parliamentary law, that no bill or measure shall be twice passed upon in the same session. See BUTLER, S. 1894, p. 730. A recommendation of His Excellency the Governor having been referred to a joint committee, and a bill covering the same subject-matter having been referred to another joint committee, the Speaker, on a point of order raised when the latter committee reported, held that it was not within the province of the chair to question the propriety of the consideration by a committee of a subject referred to it. FROTHINGHAM, H. 1904, p. 349.

Committees must confine their report to the subject referred to them. For sundry cases in which the point of order has been raised that this principle has been violated, see the indexes to the Senate Journals under "Order, Questions of," and the appendixes to the House Journals under the title "Questions of Order," and "Order, Points of." A list of the cases which arose prior to 1902 may be found in the Manual of the General Court for that year.

If the report of a committee is ruled out as beyond the scope of the reference, the subject-matter of the reference is still before the House for its action. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1463.

If a bill reported by one committee is referred to another committee, the latter committee is not limited to the scope of the bill referred to it, but may report any measure within the scope of the propositions upon which the original bill

was based. BUTLER, S. 1894, p. 920; LAWRENCE, S. 1897, p. 763.

When the rules require that legislation shall be based upon petition, the petition determines the scope of legislation. A bill filed with the petition does not enlarge the scope of the petition unless the petition contains phraseology which makes the bill a part of it. BUTLER, S. 1894, p. 940; JONES, S. 1903, p. 491. Neither does a bill curtail the scope of the petition which it accompanies. BATES, H. 1899, pp. 1036, 1061.

A bill prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors was held not to be germane to a petition asking that the sale of malt and spirituous liquors be prohibited, for the reason that, as appears from 2 Gray, 502, there are intoxicating liquors other than malt and spirituous liquors. BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 730.

In determining the scope of an application for legislation, it should be construed liberally; but the chair is, at the same time, held to secure an observance of the rules made for obtaining well-considered legislation, and to the end that all citizens of the Commonwealth shall have full notice of matters brought before the Legislature affecting their interests. SPRAGUE, S. 1890, pp. 405, 886; PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 703; BOARDMAN, S. 1888, p. 352; NOYES, H. 1888, p. 700.

For a case in which the scope of an order was construed liberally, see BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 1259.

A committee can report a larger sum than that named in the resolve referred to it. PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 700.

A motion to recommit, with instructions to report a bill broader in its scope than the measures upon which the bill is based, is out of order. PINKERTON, S. 1892, p. 266.

As the greater includes the less, it is a general rule that a bill will not be ruled out because it does not cover all the objects embraced in the order. PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 395;

PINKERTON, S. 1892, p. 428. See also SOULE, S. 1901, p. 1049.

But on a petition for general legislation it is not permissible to report a special bill. FROTHINGHAM, H. 1905, p. 272; FROTHINGHAM, H. 1904, p. 806; MARDEN, H. 1884, p. 450; PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 505; JONES, S. 1903, p. 491.

It has further been held that a bill providing for a modification of an existing law cannot be reported on a petition which asks for a repeal of the law. NOYES, H. 1887, pp. 523, 552.

As to what legislation can be based on the reference to a committee of a report of a commission or board of trustees, see JEWELL, H. 1870, p. 478; NOYES, H. 1888, p. 670.

When a bill for a rearrangement of the congressional districts was reported by a committee, under an order that directed that the districts as rearranged should conform to the districts as then established as closely as the lines of the existing wards and precincts of the city of Boston would conveniently admit, it was held that the chair could not attempt to decide whether the lines of the proposed new districts conformed as closely to the lines of existing wards and precincts as convenience permitted, but that the committee was free to use its own judgment upon the question. LAWRENCE, S. 1896, p. 983; MEYER, H. 1896, p. 1211.

A message from the Governor transmitting a communication from a State commission calling the attention of the Legislature to a threatened abuse by a certain corporation, and suggesting that some appropriate action be taken, was held to be sufficiently broad in scope to permit a remedy of the threatened evil either by a general or by a special bill, or by both. MYERS, H. 1901, p. 1048.

If any part of a bill covers a matter not referred to the committee, or if a special bill is reported on a petition for general legislation, the whole bill must be withdrawn or excluded. It cannot be amended before it is received.

SANFORD, H. 1872, pp. 422, 429; SANFORD, H. 1875, p. 365; PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 702. But such a bill may be recommended. SMITH, S. 1899, p. 879; SPRAGUE, S. 1890, p. 886; FROTHINGHAM, H. 1905, p. 272; MYERS, H. 1900, p. 706; BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 559; BRACKETT, H. 1886, p. 713; BARRETT, H. 1889, pp. 717, 853; BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 724; MEYER, H. 1894, p. 1218.

If, however, a bill or an amendment, which is not germane to the subject-matter referred, comes to one branch from the other, such bill or amendment must be entertained out of courtesy to the branch from which it is received. DANA, S. 1906, p. 982; SMITH, S. 1899, p. 887; PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 470; MEYER, H. 1894, pp. 466, 877; MARDEN, H. 1884, p. 451. But see MARDEN, H. 1883, p. 478. For other cases upon "Courtesy between the Branches," see under "Sundry Rulings," at the end of the notes on the Joint Rules.

Objection that a bill covers matter not referred to the committee cannot be raised after deliberate action on the bill, by amendment, or by passing it to a third reading, or even after continued deliberation in regard to it. DANA, S. 1906, p. 480; SMITH, S. 1900, p. 660; LAWRENCE, S. 1896, p. 941; BUTLER, S. 1895, p. 473; PINKERTON, S. 1893, pp. 387, 423; PINKERTON, S. 1892, p. 476; NEWTON of Everett (acting Speaker), H. 1902, p. 479; BATES, H. 1898, p. 940; ATTWILL (acting Speaker), H. 1898, p. 840; MEYER, H. 1894, p. 1248; BARRETT, H. 1891, p. 807; BARRETT, H. 1890, pp. 340, 1020; BRACKETT, H. 1886, p. 503; DEWEY (acting Speaker), H. 1877, p. 464; SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 368; JEWELL, H. 1870, p. 477. See also NOYES, H. 1881, p. 480; WADE, H. 1879, p. 540.

Where a committee has referred to it several petitions on the same subject, or various papers involving either directly or remotely the same subject, whether simply or connected with other things, and the committee has once considered

and reported upon any one subject involved in them, it has entirely exhausted its authority over that subject.

After such report has been once made, the subject passes beyond the control of the committee and becomes the property of the House.

Any papers left in the hands of the committee which may indirectly involve the same subject must be treated as if that question was not in them. It seems not to be within the power of a committee to withhold mention of any particular petition, report or other paper, and thus retain possession of a subject once reported upon as a basis for a new action and a new report.

General considerations support strongly this view. It is a maxim of jurisprudence that it is for the public advantage that strifes should come to an end. It is equally for the public interest that contentions in what our fathers called the Great and General Court should be settled once for all. Many persons have a deep interest in the matters heard before committees. They appear in person or by counsel; and when the subject is, by report of the committee, brought before the Legislature, they appear to influence the action of members, as they have the right to do. When the matter is once disposed of, they depart, and suppose they may do so in safety. They have a right to believe their interests no longer require their presence. But if a committee may revive questions once reported upon and settled, there will never be rest. JEWELL, H. 1870, p. 480. See also NOYES, H. 1888, p. 584; SPRAGUE, S. 1891, p. 516; BARRETT, H. 1891, p. 790.

A resolve, not an order, should be the form used to provide for printing a document not for the use of the Legislature, and involving the expenditure of public money. LONG, H. 1878, p. 58; NOYES, H. 1880, p. 123.

Further, as to cases in which orders would be suitable, see LONG, H. 1878, p. 58.



A motion that several bills comprised in one report should be placed separately in the Orders of the Day is not in order before the report has been received and the bills read the first time. SANFORD, H. 1872, p. 404.

RULE 3. A delegation to represent the State, composed not only of members of the Legislature but also of State officers, is not a joint committee within the meaning of this rule. BATES, H. 1898, p. 1068.

RULE 5. Under this rule a motion to recommit, made at a date later than that fixed in the rule, is out of order. BARRETT, H. 1891, pp. 866, 983.

RULE 7. "*Or other legislation.*" Prior to 1891 this phrase was "*other special legislation,*" and special legislation was held to be that which directly affects individuals as such differently from the class to which they belong or from the people at large. PILLSBURY, S. 1885, pp. 588, 589.

It is the province of the committee, and not of the Speaker, to determine whether the purpose for which the legislation is sought can be secured without detriment to the public interest by a general law. MYERS, H. 1901, p. 1048.

See notes to Senate Rule 16 and to House Rule 30.

#### NOTICE TO PARTIES INTERESTED.

RULE 8. See note to Senate Rule 15 and House Rule 31. A bill may be laid aside on the ground that it is in violation of this rule after it has passed through one branch. BISHOP, S. 1882, p. 307.

A bill which is offered as a substitute for a report of a committee must be germane to the subject referred to the committee. JEWELL, H. 1871, p. 342.

It is sufficient if the petition bears the certificate of the Secretary of the Commonwealth that the required publica-

tion has been made. It is not necessary to state in detail in the publication all the provisions of the legislation desired. BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 995.

It is not within the province of the Speaker, but within the province of the committee, to determine whether a petition has been properly advertised. BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 1160.

*"No legislation."* Prior to 1890 the phraseology was *"no bill or resolve,"* and under that phraseology it was held that an order that a committee investigate the management and condition of a certain society and report what legislation is necessary was within the operation of the rule, because any bill or resolve embodying the conclusions of such investigation would be within the scope of the rule. BRUCE, S. 1884, p. 580. *Contra*, PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 580.

*"Except by a petition."* Prior to 1890 the words *"by amendment or otherwise"* were also used. For an instance in which under that form of the rule an amendment was held to be barred by the rule, see BISHOP, S. 1880, p. 333. For an instance in which an amendment proposing a new treatment of a subject already in the bill, and not the introduction of a new subject into the bill, was held not to be barred by the rule, see BISHOP, S. 1881, p. 384.

For an instance in which it was held that a communication from the Governor transmitting a subject-matter for legislation is, for the purposes of legislation, to be considered in the light of a message from him, and is entitled to the same consideration that such a message would have, and that a bill reported upon said communication is not in violation of this rule, see MYERS, H. 1901, p. 1048.

Prior to 1890 the following words were used, *"Except by report of a committee on petition duly presented and referred,"* and under this form of the rule various rulings were made. For cases in which a bill was ruled out,

see LONG, H. 1878, pp. 116, 120; COGSWELL, S. 1878, p. 178; NOYES, H. 1888, p. 479. For a case in which it was held that the words "duly presented" did not require compliance with the provisions of chapter 2 of the Public Statutes in regard to notice; that those provisions were mandatory only to the petitioner, and that the Legislature might, if it saw fit, hear the petitioner, notwithstanding his failure to comply with the law, see MARDEN, H. 1888, p. 533. See also NOYES, H. 1882, p. 90.

*"Objection to the violation of this rule may be taken at any stage prior to that of the third reading."* For a case which arose prior to the insertion of these words, see DEWEY (acting Speaker), H. 1877, p. 463.

**RULE 9.** As to the form and evidence of publication, see notes to Joint Rule 8.

The provisions of the Revised Laws, chapter 3, which are referred to in this rule, are mandatory only to the petitioner, and the General Court may hear the petitioner notwithstanding his failure to comply with the law. MYERS, H. 1902, p. 268.

Under this rule it was held that a petition to establish the boundary line in tide waters between two towns, involving the taking of land from one town and the annexing of it to the other, is, in effect, a petition to divide an existing town; and, since no publication of notice, as required by law, had been made and the rule had not been suspended, a bill reported upon such a petition was improperly before the House. MEYER, H. 1896, p. 947.

This rule having been concurrently suspended with reference to a petition before its reference to a committee, and the committee having reported "leave to withdraw," it was held that the rule was no longer operative on the subject-matter of the petition, and that a bill could be substituted for the report of the committee. DANA, S. 1906, p. 748.

A bill reported to the House in violation of this rule, and there passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence, was in the Senate, in compliance with this rule, referred to the next General Court. DANA, S. 1906, p. 712. See "Sundry Rulings."

For the case of a bill which was held not to come within the provisions of this rule, see BATES, H. 1899, pp. 1036, 1061.

#### **LIMIT OF TIME ALLOWED FOR REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.**

RULE 10. If after the date fixed for final report a committee reports a bill, such bill must be laid aside. BARRETT, H. 1893, p. 706. So also a report of leave to withdraw will be laid aside. MEYER, H. 1895, p. 920.

General orders extending the time for reports of joint committees apply to these committees no less when sitting jointly than when sitting separately. MYERS, H. 1901, p. 1047.

#### **COMMITTEES OF CONFERENCE.**

RULE 11. It seems that any difference between the two branches can be submitted to a committee of conference. PILLSBURY, S. 1886, p. 702.

That which has been agreed to by both branches cannot be disturbed by a committee of conference. It is competent for a committee of conference to report such change in the sections or portions not agreed to as is germane to those sections. BISHOP, S. 1882, p. 391; MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1403.

The reception of a report of a committee of conference discharges the committee, even though the report is subsequently ruled out as beyond the scope of the reference. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1463.

**LIMIT OF TIME ALLOWED FOR NEW BUSINESS.**

**RULE 12.** This rule does not exclude matters of privilege. They may be considered whenever they arise. PILLSBURY, S. 1885, p. 583; BARRETT, H. 1890, p. 1259.

*"All other subjects of legislation."* See LONG, H. 1878, p. 572; BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 354.

An order which is merely incidental to a subject of legislation before the House is not within the scope of this rule. MARDEN, H. 1883, p. 311.

*"Deposited with the Clerk of either branch."* In 1891 these words were substituted for the words *"proposed or introduced,"* previously used. Under the rule as it stood prior to 1891, it was twice ruled that matter referred by one General Court to the next, when called up in the General Court to which it is so referred, must be considered as the introduction of new business within the intent of this rule. In both cases the bill in question related to the compensation of members of the Legislature, and in both cases, on appeal, the decision of the chair was reversed. CROCKER, S. 1883, pp. 521, 578; LONG, H. 1877, pp. 466-473.

*"Shall, when presented, be referred to the next General Court."* Under this rule, before the words "when presented" were inserted, in a case where a bill had passed to a third reading, it was held that it was then too late to secure its reference to the next General Court under the rule. DEWEY (acting Speaker), H. 1877, p. 463. See also WADE, H. 1879, p. 540.

For a case arising under a somewhat similar rule, see JEWELL, H. 1868, p. 591.

After the House had debated an order several times and had once adopted it, it was held too late to raise the point that the order came within the scope of this rule. BRACKETT, H. 1885, p. 354.

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*"This rule shall not be . . . suspended except by a concurrent vote."* Pending the question on concurring in the suspension of this rule to admit a petition, it has been held not to be in order to move to lay the petition upon the table. NOYES, H. 1888, p. 260.

**PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTION OF DOCUMENTS.**

**RULE 20.** See notes on the Joint Rules under "Committees." For a ruling on this rule as it stood before 1886, see LONG, H. 1878, p. 116.

The House can by its vote alone order documents printed for the use of the House. MEYER, H. 1894, p. 397.

## SUNDRY RULINGS.

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### QUESTIONS OF PRIVILEGE.

A resolution declaring vacant certain contested seats is a resolution of high privilege, and need not be supported by a petition. MEYER, H. 1894, pp. 1192, 1198.

### COURTESY BETWEEN THE BRANCHES.

Where one branch has passed upon a matter and forwarded it to the other, the latter is, as a rule, bound to receive and act upon it. For instances in which this principle was followed and for the exceptions to it, see COLE, H. 1906, p. 1177; JONES, S. 1903, p. 753; MYERS, H. 1903, p. 1435; MYERS, H. 1902, pp. 1244, 1287; SOULE, S. 1901, p. 931; SMITH, S. 1900, p. 531; BATES, H. 1899, p. 1096; LAWRENCE, S. 1896, p. 1036; PINKERTON, S. 1893, p. 470; SPRAGUE, S. 1890, pp. 317, 794; MEYER, H. 1894, pp. 466, 877; BARRETT, H. 1892, p. 1161; BARRETT, H. 1891, p. 790; MARDEN, H. 1883, pp. 523-528, also p. 478; BISHOP, S. 1882, p. 307; MARDEN, H. 1884, p. 451; PILLSBURY, S. 1885, pp. 582, 583; MORRISON (acting Speaker), H. 1882, p. 443; BROWN (acting Speaker), H. 1882, p. 515; BISHOP, S. 1881 (extra session), p. 19; BISHOP, S. 1881, p. 384; BISHOP, S. 1880, p. 243; COGSWELL, S. 1878, p. 178; COGSWELL, S. 1877, pp. 301, 306; LONG, H. 1877, p. 426; SANFORD, H. 1874, p. 392; SANFORD, H. 1872, p. 125; BULLOCK, H. 1865, appendix, p. 492; PHELPS, S. 1859, p. 325. See also MANCHESTER (acting Speaker), H. 1897, p. 1188.

A bill was referred in the Senate to the next General Court because reported in violation of the ninth joint rule, although it had been passed to be engrossed in the House and sent up for concurrence. DANA, S. 1906, p. 712.

See notes to Senate Rule 54 and House Rule 49.

#### CONCURRENCE IN AMENDMENTS.

Where a bill passed in the House was sent to the Senate and there passed with an amendment, and was then returned to the House for concurrence in the amendment, it was held that the House might agree or disagree with the amendment, or it might agree after amending the amendment, or it might refer the question of agreeing to the amendment to a committee, or might lay the subject on the table, or defer action to some day certain, because all such motions are supposed to be not unfriendly in their nature, at least not decisive or destructive. On the other hand, a motion to postpone indefinitely the whole subject, or any motion which carries with it an original purpose of destruction to the bill, is not in order, because the two branches have already agreed to the bill as a whole, and such a motion would be irregular in itself, and in its parliamentary effects uncourteous towards the other branch of the Legislature. BULLOCK, H. 1865, appendix, p. 493.

Where a bill which had been agreed to by both branches was sent by the House to the Senate for concurrence in certain amendments, and the Senate, in addition to acting on the amendments, amended other parts of the bill *de novo*, it was held that such amendments were not properly before the House. MEYER, H. 1895, p. 906; MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1403.

One branch, in considering an amendment to its bill made by the other branch, may amend such amendment, but its amendment must be germane to the amendment submitted for concurrence. SMITH, S. 1900, p. 878; FAR-



LEY (acting Speaker), H. 1894, p. 1403. COLE, H. 1906, p. 982.

For a discussion as to proceedings in case of a disagreement between the two branches in relation to amendments, see HALE, H. 1859, p. 116.

**LAST WEEK OF THE SESSION.**

During the last week of the session, the House having voted to remain in session until the completion of the matter under consideration and the vote thereon having been taken, it was held that a motion to reconsider was in order before adjournment. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1444.

A standing order fixing the last week of the session is in force from the time it takes effect until the close of the session. MYERS, H. 1900, p. 1444.



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## THE STATE HOUSE.

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The so-called "Bulfinch Front" of the State House was erected in 1795-7, upon land purchased of the heirs of John Hancock, by the town of Boston, for the sum of £4,000, and conveyed by said town to the Commonwealth, May 2, 1795. The Commissioners on the part of the town to convey the "Governor's Pasture," as it was styled, to the Commonwealth, were William Tudor, Charles Jarvis, John Coffin Jones, William Eustis, William Little, Thomas Dawes, Joseph Russell, Harrison Gray Otis and Perez Morton. The agents for erecting the State House were named in the deed as follows: Thomas Dawes, Edward Hutchinson Robbins and Charles Bulfinch.

The corner-stone was laid July 4, 1795, by Governor Samuel Adams, assisted by Paul Revere, Master of the Grand Lodge of Masons. The stone was drawn to the spot by fifteen white horses, representing the number of States of the Union at that time. The original building is 172 feet front; the height, from base course to pinnacle, is 155 feet; and the foundation is about 106 feet above the waters of the bay. The dome is 53 feet in diameter and 35 feet high. The original cost of the building was estimated at \$133,333.33.

Extensive improvements, including a "new part" extending backward upon Mount Vernon Street, were made, chiefly under the direction of a commission, in the years 1853, 1854, 1855 and 1856.

Under a resolve of 1866 a commission was appointed to inquire and report concerning the whole subject of remodelling or rebuilding the State House. They reported three propositions, without deciding in favor of either. The first was a plan of remodelling at an expense of \$375,430; the second, a plan of remodelling at an expense of \$759,872; and the third, a plan for a new building at an expense of \$2,042,574. The report of the commission was referred to the committee on the State House of the session of 1867, who recommended a plan of alterations at the estimated expense of \$150,000; and by Resolve No. 84 of that year the work was ordered to be executed under the supervision of a commission consisting of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, who were authorized by the same resolve to expend \$150,000, and, by a subsequent resolve, \$20,000 in addition. The President of the Senate died on the 29th of October, and thereafter the

work was continued by the surviving commissioner. The improvements consisted of an almost entire reconstruction of the interior of the building, except the "new part," before referred to as having been added from 1853 to 1856. They were executed from the plans of the architects, Washburn & Son, and cost, including furniture, about \$250,000.

The Legislature of 1868 made provision for reseating the Senate Chamber and the Hall of the House, which improvements were made under the supervision of legislative committees, in season for the accommodation of the Legislature of 1869, at a cost of about \$6,600.

By Resolve chapter 68 of the year 1881, the sum of \$45,000 was authorized to be expended for improving the basement of the State House, in accordance with plans submitted by the joint standing committee on the State House. The work was begun soon after the regular session of 1881, and was carried on under the supervision of the commissioners on the State House, consisting of Oreb F. Mitchell, Sergeant-at-Arms, Hon. Daniel A. Gleason, Treasurer and Receiver-General, and Hon. Henry B. Peirce, Secretary of State, assisted by John W. Leighton and Asa H. Caton, both of Boston, and appointed, under the resolve referred to, by the Governor and Council. Under the plans the floor of the basement was brought down to a common level, and numerous additional office rooms and needed accommodations were obtained.

Under authority of chapter 70 of the Resolves of 1885, passenger elevators were erected in the east and west wings of the State House.

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 349 of the Acts of the year 1888, the Governor and Council, "for the purpose of providing suitable and adequate accommodations for the legislative and executive departments of the State government and for the several bureaus, boards and officers of the Commonwealth, whose offices are, or may be, located in the city of Boston, and for any other necessary and convenient uses of the Commonwealth," on November 7 of the same year, took possession in the name of the Commonwealth of the parcel of land lying next north of the State House, and bounded by Derne, Temple, Mount Vernon and Hancock streets, and also of a parcel of land lying to the east of Temple Street, between Mount Vernon and Derne streets, both lots with the buildings and improvements thereon, full power being given them to settle, by agreement or arbitration, the amount of compensation to be paid any person by reason of the taking of his property. They were also authorized to discontinue the whole of Temple Street between Mount Vernon and Derne streets, and to negotiate with the city of Boston concerning the construction of new streets or ways.

By chapter 404 of the Acts of 1892, for the purpose of securing an open space around the State House, the commissioners were authorized to take, by purchase or otherwise, the land bounded north by Derne Street,

east by Bowdoin Street, south by Beacon Hill Place and west by the State House, and by chapter 129, Acts of 1893, they were authorized to sell the buildings thereon. Subsequently, the commissioners were authorized to take Beacon Hill Place (chapter 450, Acts of 1893) and also the land bounded east by Bowdoin Street, south by Beacon Street, west by Mount Vernon Street and north by the land then owned by the Commonwealth; and provision was made for the removal of buildings on said land and for the improvement thereof (chapter 532, Acts of 1894; chapter 223, Acts of 1897; chapter 382, Acts of 1900; and chapter 525, Acts of 1901). In 1901 authority was given to the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council, to take in fee simple, in behalf of the Commonwealth, a parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Mount Vernon Street, immediately west of Hancock Avenue (chapter 525, Acts of 1901).

By chapter 92 of the Resolves of 1888 the Governor and Council were allowed a sum not exceeding \$5,000 to enable them to devise and report to the next General Court a general plan for the better accommodation of the State government.

A plan was accordingly submitted to the General Court of 1889, and \$2,500 were appropriated for the further perfecting of said plan. A bill to provide for the enlargement of the State House was subsequently reported in the Legislature and became a law (chapter 394 of the Acts of 1889). Under this act the Governor was authorized to appoint three persons, to be known as the State House Construction Commissioners, and Messrs. John D. Long, Wm. Endicott, Jr., and Benjamin D. Whitcomb were appointed the commissioners. Mr. Whitcomb died in 1894, and Mr. Charles Everett Clark was appointed to fill the vacancy. The latter died in 1899. In 1894 Mr. Long resigned, and Mr. George W. Johnson was appointed a member of the commission. The architects selected were Messrs. Brigham & Spofford of Boston. Subsequently to March, 1892, Mr. Charles E. Brigham was the sole architect of the extension.

On the twenty-first day of December, 1889, the corner-stone of the new building was laid by His Excellency Governor Ames with appropriate ceremonies. The removal of the various departments and commissions to the new building was begun in the latter part of 1894. The House of Representatives of 1895 convened in the old Representatives' Chamber on the second day of January, and on the following day met for the first time in the hall set apart for it in the State House extension. It has occupied this hall ever since. Pending changes in the State House building, the Senate sat in a room numbered 239, 240 and 241, in the extension. Its first meeting in this room was on February 18, 1895. On April 8 it resumed its sittings in the old Senate Chamber.

By chapter 124 of the Resolves of 1896 the State House Construction Commission was directed to provide temporary accommodations for the Senate of 1897 and its officers. A temporary floor was accordingly constructed across the apartment, then unfinished, that has since come to be known as Memorial Hall, on a level with the present gallery; and the room thus made was finished and furnished as a Senate Chamber, with accommodations for spectators. On January 6, 1897, the Senate met in this chamber, which it continued to occupy throughout the session of that year, and it also, for the first time, made use of the reading-room and the other rooms and offices intended for its permanent occupancy.

By chapter 531 of the Acts of 1896, His Honor Roger Wolcott, Acting Governor, Hon. George P. Lawrence, President of the Senate, and Hon. George v. L. Meyer, Speaker of the House, were made a committee to decide upon a plan for preserving, restoring and rendering practically fire-proof the so-called Bulfinch State House. The committee was directed to employ an architect, who was to superintend the execution of the work in accordance with such drawings and specifications as should be approved by said committee. It was provided that the State House Construction Commission should have charge of the work. Mr. Arthur G. Everett was the architect selected by the committee, and with him was associated Mr. Robert D. Andrews. Mr. Charles A. Cummings was made consulting architect.

By chapter 470 of the Acts of 1897, His Excellency Roger Wolcott, Hon. George P. Lawrence, President of the Senate, and Hon. John L. Bates, Speaker of the House, were made a committee to decide upon plans for furnishing the so-called Bulfinch State House, with authority to employ an architect to make drawings, specifications and designs therefor, and also to superintend the execution of the work. Mr. Everett was selected for the purpose.

On the convening of the General Court of 1898, the Senate occupied for the first time the chamber in the Bulfinch building that had formerly been the hall of the House of Representatives. The original Senate Chamber was assigned to the Senate by the Governor and Council as one of its apartments. The Senate has continued to occupy its new chamber ever since.

In accordance with the provisions of various acts of the General Court, the Treasurer and Receiver-General has, from time to time, with the approval of the Governor and Council, issued scrip or certificates of indebtedness for the purpose of meeting the expenses incurred in connection with the taking of land, — including land damages, — the constructing and furnishing of the State House extension, the finishing of the Memorial Hall therein, the restoring and furnishing of the Bulfinch front, etc.; and to January 1, 1907, bonds to the amount of \$7,120,000 have been issued.



**SEAL OF THE COMMONWEALTH.**

**COUNCIL RECORDS, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13TH, 1780.**

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*Ordered*, That Nathan Cushing, Esqr., be a committee to prepare a Seal for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, who reported a Device for a Seal for said Commonwealth as follows, viz.: SAPPHIRE, an Indian, dressed in his Shirt, Moccasins, belted proper, in his right hand a Bow, TOPAZ, in his left an Arrow, its point towards the Base; of the second, on the Dexter side of the Indian's head, a Star, PEARL, for one of the United States of America.

**CREST.** On a Wreath a Dexter Arm clothed and ruffled proper, grasping a Broad Sword, the Pommel and Hilt, TOPAZ, with this Motto: *Ense petit placidam Sub Libertate Quietem.* And around the Seal. *Stigillum Reipublicæ Massachusettensis.*

Advised that the said Report be Accepted as the Arms of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

## 654 *Arms and Seal of the Commonwealth.*

### [CHAPTER 2 OF THE REVISED LAWS.]

#### **Of the Arms and the Great Seal of the Commonwealth.**

**SECTION 1.** The arms of the commonwealth shall consist of a shield having a blue field or surface with an Indian thereon, dressed in a shirt and moccasins, holding in his right hand a bow, and in his left hand an arrow, point downward, all of gold; and, in the upper corner of the field, above his right arm, a silver star with five points. The crest shall be a wreath of blue and gold, whereon, in gold, shall be a right arm, bent at the elbow, clothed and ruffled, with the hand grasping a broadsword. The motto shall be "Ense petit placidam sub libertate quietem."

**SECTION 2.** The coat-of-arms as drawn and emblazoned under the direction of the secretary of the commonwealth in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-eight and deposited in his office shall be the official representation of the coat-of-arms of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, and all designs of said coat-of-arms for official use shall conform strictly to said representation.

**SECTION 3.** The great seal of the commonwealth shall be circular in form, bearing upon its face a representation of the arms of the commonwealth encircled with the inscription, "Sigillum Reipublicæ Massachusettensis." The colors of the arms shall not be an essential part of said seal, but an impression from a seal engraved according to said design, on any commission, paper or document shall be valid without the use of such colors or the representation thereof by the customary heraldic lines or marks.

**SECTION 4.** The seal of the commonwealth in use in the office of the secretary of the commonwealth when this act takes effect shall be the authorized seal so long as its use may be continued.

## STATE LIBRARY OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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The members of the Legislature are cordially invited to avail themselves of the privilege of the State Library. It contains about 140,000 volumes, and is strictly a reference library. The Librarian and assistants will be at the service of those in search of information, and should be freely consulted.

The twenty-third section of chapter 10 of the Revised Laws provides that the State Library shall be for the use of —

1. The Governor, the Lieutenant-Governor, the Council, the General Court.
2. Such other officers of Government and other persons as may be permitted to use it.

### REGULATIONS.

1. The Library is open every day in the year, except Sundays and Legal Holidays, from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M., except Saturdays, when it is closed at 12 M.
2. Visitors are requested to use the books at the tables, — not in the alcoves, — and to avoid conversation.
3. The Statutes, Law Reports, and some other reference books may be taken to any room in the State House for temporary use, but are not to be removed from the building.
4. Any book taken from the Library-room must be receipted for by the person taking it, who will be held responsible for its safe return.

*Trustees.* — WINFIELD S. SLOCUM, Newton; EDWARD EVERETT HALE, Boston; STEPHEN O'MEARA, Boston.

*Librarian.* — C. B. TILLINGHAST.

*Assistants.* — Miss ELLEN M. SAWYER, *Principal*; Miss MARIA C. SMITH, Miss JENNIE W. FOSTER, Miss SUSY A. DICKINSON, Mrs. ANNIE G. HOPKINS, J. F. MUNROE.

## **AGRICULTURAL LIBRARY.**

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A valuable Agricultural Library, connected with the office of the Secretary of the Board of Agriculture, is also open at all hours of the day for the use of the members of the Legislature.

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## **BOSTON ATHENÆUM.**

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By the Act of the General Court incorporating the Proprietors of the Boston Athenæum, it is provided that the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, the members of the Council, of the Senate, and of the House of Representatives, for the time being, shall have free access to the Library of the said corporation, and may visit and consult the same at all times, under the same regulations as may be provided by the by-laws of said corporation for the proprietors thereof.

The Boston Athenæum is situated in Beacon Street, near the State House; and members who may wish to avail themselves of their privilege can receive a note of introduction to the Librarian by applying to the Sergeant-at-Arms.

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## **MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL SOCIETY.**

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Section 6 of the Act of Feb. 19, 1794, incorporating the Massachusetts Historical Society, provides that "either branch of the Legislature shall and may have free access to the library and museum of said society."

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